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Marines Drive Japs from Okinawa Caves



—NEA Telephoto from Marine Corps

As the smoke from their "satchel" charge explosion spirals overhead, veterans of the Marine 1st Division close in for point-blank firing on Japs holed up in a cave in Okinawa. The man in the foreground lies prone as the others remain in a crouching position, waiting for any Nips who may decide to make a dash for freedom.

Fires Sweep Through Tokyo

Lasting Authority Over Government Asked by Truman

President Sends Plea to Congress for New Legislation Today

Washington, May 24—(AP)—President Truman asked congress today for permanent authority to reorganize the executive branch of the government in order to make it "more business-like and efficient".

The president declared that he first War Powers Act of 1941, which empowered the president to make adjustments to meet the needs of the conflict, should be replaced by peacetime legislation of equal scope.

He said many agencies set up under the war powers act, which expires six months after the war, would be automatically abolished with its expiration, while other agencies would revert to an unsatisfactory prewar status.

He pointed out that premanent adjustments need to be made and cited a current proposal before congress dealing with Reconstruction Finance Corporation subsidiaries.

He added it is imperative that the president have authority to make adjustments continuously "if the government structure is to be reasonably wieldy and manageable".

Congress Could Veto

"Suitable reshaping of those parts of the executive branch of the government which require it from time to time is necessary and desirable from every point of view", the president said.

He pointed out that the legislation would give congress necessary control over his actions since it could nullify by a majority vote of the two houses any action which did not meet its approval.

Truman said that congress "cannot consistently" criticize deficiencies in the administration if it denied the president "the means of removing the causes at the root of such criticisms".

For Flexible Agencies

The president called for legislation covering all agencies of the executive branch which would be flexible enough to permit "any form of organizational adjustment, large or small, for which necessity may arise".

The president said that while congress has legislated "with foresight and wisdom" on plans for orderly conversion from war to peace in other fields, "adequate provision has not yet been made" for conversion of the executive branch of the government.

He said that the first war powers act and its amendments empowering the president to make

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Himmler Suicide British Report

London, May 24—(AP)—Heinrich Himmler killed himself with poison last night three days after his capture by the allies, the Exchange Telegraph Agency reported today. Reuters also announced the suicide.

The Exchange Telegraph Agency, in a dispatch from Terence Duncan with the British Second Army, said the 11-year-old Gestapo chief had been arrested three days ago incognito, and was held captive in a house in Lueneburg.

The Agency's report said Himmler took his life by drinking the contents of a hidden vial.

Reuters said the death was announced officially tonight at British Second Army headquarters.

Reuters set the time of death at 11:04 p. m. yesterday.

The reports took one of the top-ranking names off the list of war criminals subject to trial. Granting the German accounts of Hitler's death, Himmler ranked with Hermann Goering at the top of the list.

For years Himmler ruled the Reich as Hitler's right-hand terrorist. He kept millions of Germans and the residents of occupied countries under the thumb of nazism. It was Himmler who ordered the Lidice massacre of Czechoslovakia.

50 Per Cent More Gasoline for "A" Card Car Drivers

Washington, May 24 (AP) — Uncle Sam gave the signal today for more gasoline for the nation's motorists.

'Relieved of the task of pouring thousands of barrels daily to European battlefronts, the government announced a 50 per cent increase in basic "A" rations, effective June 22, and a substantial boost for many "B" drivers beginning June 11.

This means that the new A-16 coupons will be good for six gallons each instead of four. Motorists thus will be able to obtain an average of three gallons a week rather than two.

The change in the "B" ration increases the ceiling for supplementary gasoline to 650 miles a month throughout the country. Currently the top allowance is 325 miles in the east, 475 in the mid-west and 400 in the far west.

In announcing these ration hikes last night, the OPA and the Petroleum Administration for War emphasized that not all "B" drivers will be eligible for increases.

"Many 'B' ration holders now have all the gasoline they need", said OPA Administrator Chester Bowles. "Unfortunately there is not enough to give these people more than the increase in their 'A' rations".

Note of Warning

Those who can show an occupational need for more in addition to the "A" bike, will be able to present their case to local ration boards beginning June 11, Bowles added.

As for "A" coupons, they will continue to become valid in series

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Cats in Illinois May Soon Lead Dog's Life

Springfield, Ill., May 24 (AP) Cats in Illinois, under terms proposed by a state legislator, will lead a dog's life.

There'll be no more cats prowling around at night nor will tabbies be allowed to be on the loose during the day, says Rep William E. Gibbs of Quincy who has presented 26 amendments to the cat control bill.

"This bill now makes it a nuisance if a cat is permitted to repeatedly run at large", Gibbs said. "Most people turn their cats to roam at night and from April to October they live on fledgling birds. We must save song and insect-eating birds from destruction."

Gibbs said passage of the bill would mean cats would be subjected to legal control "just like doggs". Cats turned into the pound, from April to October, he said, would be held for five days and if not ransomed on a $5 penalty would be "humanely destroyed". The penalty would be $1 during the winter months, Gibbs explained.

Truck Drivers in Chicago Return to Work; ODT is Boss

Truman Orders Federal Agency to Take Over Lines' Operation

Chicago, May 24 (AP)— Chicago's 6,500 independent truck drivers, whose week-long strike partially paralyzed movement of war goods and food in the midwest, began a mass return to work today with the federal government acting as their boss.

The strikers, members of the Independent Chicago Truck Drivers' Union, called off their strike last night, shortly after President Truman authorized the Office of Defense Transportation to seize the trucking concerns.

The possibility that troops might be called on to man the trucks vanished today when a battalion of military police from Camp Custer, Mich., was ordered to return to its base.

The troops came here Tuesday and set up an encampment near the loop to be in readiness in case they were needed.

The ODT seizure was effective at 12:01 a. m. Central War Time today. However, some trucks, with regular drivers at the wheels, began rolling with delayed shipments last night. Others resumed operations early today and there was no reported physical taking over of the properties by federal troops ,who had been sent to the city presumably for that purpose.

Keeshin Drivers Balk

The Cartage Exchange of Chicago, an association of truck operators controlling some 7,000 trucks, said all the reports it had received this morning were that regular drivers were resuming their runs.

Edward Fenner, business manager of the union, said all drivers had returned to their jobs with the exception of about 100 employed by the Keeshin Motor Express Company.

Fenner said the men reported at the Keeshin offices but refused to man trucks when company officials demanded that the men sign new job applications before resuming work. Fenner said the drivers refused the company demand on the ground it would mean

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Minesweeper Is Lost in Action

Washington, May 24 (AP) The motor minesweeper YMS 481 has been lost in the Philippines as a result of enemy action, the Navy announced today.

Casualties among the ship's complement, normally about 30 officers and men, were described as moderate.

The vessel's skipper, Lt (jg) Theron O Anglin of Wadley, Ga., was reported wounded in action Next of kin of all casualties have been notified

CRUISER DAMAGED

Washington, May 24 (AP) The cruiser Houston was damaged severely by two torpedoes off Borneo and is being repaired at the Brooklyn Navy Yard, Rep. Thomas (D-Tex) disclosed.

The law maker said the torpedoes struck below the water line ripping off 50 feet of the stern and crippling the warship so severely she had to be towed to dry dock.

Thomas estimated the cost of repairing the vessel at $6,000,000.

The Navy declined comment.

Early Meeting of "Big Three Is in Works" Says President's Secretary

Washington, May 24 -(AP) — The White House said today that an early meeting of the "Big Three" definitely "is in the works".

Press Secretary Charles G. Ross said the special missions of Harry L. Hopkins and Joseph E. Davies to Moscow and London were preliminary to and not "a substitute for the projected meeting of the Russian, American and British chiefs of state.

"They do not take the place of the Big Three conference which definitely is in the works", Ross told his news conference. "They are not a substitute for the projected meeting of President Truman Prime Minister Churchill and Premier Stalin.

"They are part of the general pattern, which will include the Big Three meeting".

"Then the conference definitely has been decided upon?" a reporter asked.

"The conference is projected", Ross replied.

Ross said he thought the British elections in July would not affect the time of the meeting, but added that he could not say when or where the Big Three would get together.

Ross statement was made shortly after he had announced that Truman would fly to San Francisco to address the closing session of the post-war International Security Conference.

9,000,000 Lbs. Of Incendiaries Find Targets In Capital

War in Pacific

By The Associated Press

(By The Associated Press)

Okinawa—Tenth Army units press in on both flanks of the Japanese line. Marine units entered Naha on west as infantrymen extend gains south of Yonabaru, throwing back vicious counterattacks. Slight gains made before Shuri.

Philippines — Cleanup campaigns on seven fronts. In northern Luzon troublesome hill 550 taken in the Davao sector. Americans established river front in Manila watershed area while other Six Army units push on Santo Fe at mouth of Cagayan valley against decreasing resistance. Eighth Army columns near juncture in Central Mindanao.

U. S. DIVISIONS

Okinawa

First Marines Repulsed counterattacks in center of line.

Sixth Marines Crossed Asato river to enter Naha on west flank.

Seventh Infantry Expanded corridor below Yonabaru, in-

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Whisky-Label Bill Reaches House Floor

Springfield, Ill., May 24 (AP) - Spokesmen for some Illinois distilleries contend that sales of blended whisky in the state would be virtually halted if the legislature enacts a labeling bill which reached the senate floor today.

They protested at a hearing yesterday against the Connors proposal which would ban the use of the word "whisky" in labeling products containing less than 50 per cent of four-year-old whisky.

The senate license and miscellany committee recommended its passage, however, after Senator William Connors (D-Chicago) said that some products sold as whisky were poor in quality.

Distilleries spokesmen said consumers won't buy a product that isn't labeled whisky, and that only a small percentage of blended whiskey would comply with the bill. The result would be state loss of $22,000,000 a year in liquor and sales taxes, they said.

Wanted

The Dixon Chamber of Commerce today issued an appeal to citizens of Dixon having rooms which may be made available at once to accommodate newcomers, to list them with Miss Frances Patrick, secretary at the Chamber office building. President Glen Coe in explaining a shortage of conditions, said:

"There is and has been a marked shortage of rooms in Dixon for several months. Conditions prevailing at the present time require that every available room which can be used to house incoming tradesmen, be listed without delay. The Chamber urges citizens having these accommodations available to list the rooms with the secretary, Miss Patrick, at once".

He further indicated that within a very few days rooms sufficient to house at least 100 tradesmen will be required. This group will arrive in Dixon to be employed on the project at the College avenue steam station of the I. N. U. Co. where a large new turbine unit is being constructed

Flames Are Visible 200 Miles; Other News of Pacific War

Guam, May 24 -(AP) - Tokyo burned for five and one-half hours, by Japanese admission, today after more than 550 Superforts plastered the city's war factories and facilities with 9,000,000 pounds of fire bombs in the mightiest single blow of the Pacific war.

An imperial headquarters communique broadcast from Tokyo said "Almost all fires" were out by "about 7 a. m." 15 p. m. Wednesday, GWT). The raid started shortly after midnight,

The Japanese radio reported property within the imperial palace compound was hit, but tried to minimize the size of the raiding force and discount the damage generally. American airmen returning to their base in the Marianas, however, said fires were visible for 200 miles from the city and undoubtedly the Yank bombs "burned hell out of the place".

Another enemy broadcast said "about 180" American carrier planes raided air bases on Kyushu, southernmost Japanese home island, in another of the oft-repeated attacks to disable fields mounting Nipponese suicide plane attacks against American positions on Okinawa. This report was not confirmed by U. S. authorities.

Fliers' Vivid Stories

Superfort fliers who participated in the Tokyo raid today returned with vivid stories of wide destruction in the Nipponese capital.

One B-29 pilot, Maj. Luther A. Jones of Monroe, La., reporting direct hits on yards which handle one-third of Japan's rail traffic said on his return from the predawn strike.

"I'm afraid they're going to do a hell of a lot of walking."

A brilliant moon and a ring of oil fires set by lead planes illuminated the target area, the Shinagawa industrial section, which is populated by 750,000 of Tokyo's millions and crowded with highly inflammable shops making precision instruments for Nippon's air force.

Pilots saw their incendiaries spread huge fires. Flashes indicated the flames had spread to stores of explosive materials.

Winds Spread Flames

Brig. Gen. Thomas S. Powers, commanding general of the Superforts on Guam, received reports that high winds spread the fires over a widening area.

Sgt Charles Holder of Santa Monica, Calif., the blister gunner on the "City of Santa Monica," looked back at the glow in the sky over Tokyo, checked with his navigator and was told the bomber was 200 miles out on the return trip.

Staff Sgt. Max Sampson of Bellefonte, Pa., a gunner, said:

"I don't think there is any doubt about it. They burned hell out of the place."

The raiders had the rare experience of finding the target without a covering cloud.

Japs Ignore Damage

A Japanese communique ignored industrial damage but charged that an arbor in the imperial palace garden, three miles north of the designated target area, was attacked and "an establishment within the compounds of the Akasaka palace" was burned.

The Tokyo broadcast made the unconfirmed claim that 27 of the raiders were shot down and "some 30" others damaged.

Pilot reports were at variance on the extent of night fighter opposition.

Some fliers told of seeing "fireballs" but disagreed as to whether they were robot bombs, jet-propelled fighters or harassing flares.

Maj. Gen. Curtis E. Lemay, who contends that air power alone can wipe out Japan's industries, sent out the record force from his 21st Bomber Command six months to the day after Marianas-based B-29s struck Tokyo for the first time.

Raid Lasts Four Hours

Tokyo radio said the raid lasted

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West Given Added Prestige in Three Cabinet Nominees

Three Members of FDR's Official Family Have Been Replaced

Washington, May 24—(AP)—President Truman stood pat today on a four-way cabinet reshuffle that gave the west added prestige and subtracted age.

Truman named new secretaries of agriculture and labor and a new attorney general late yesterday as a followup to his earlier designation of Robert E. Hannegan, 44, to replace 59-year old Postmaster General Frank C. Walker.

There were indications that no further shifts in the 10-member presidential family are imminent.

Political observers viewed the selections as retaining a somewhat "liberal tinge" to the cabinet, although both so-called "conservative" and pro-Roosevelt factions in Texas were reported pleased with the promotion of Tom C. Clark of Dallas, 45-year-old Assistant Attorney General to succeed Francis Biddle, 59.

The shuffling removed this country's first woman cabinet member, Miss Frances Perkins, 67, who has been in her post more than 12 years. In her place Truman put Federal Judge Lewis B. Schwellenbach of Washington state, 59-year-old former senator and close friend of the president. Schwellenbach is a native of Superior, Wis.

Wickard Goes to REA

Rep. Clinton P. Anderson 49-year-old New Mexican who heads the special house food investigating committee, and who, like Schwellenbach, supported most Roosevelt proposals, was named secretary of agriculture in place of Claude Wickard, 52. The latter was designated Rural Electrification Administrator.

Anderson also will take over the duties of the War Food Administration as soon as Marvin Jones returns to the U. S. Court of Claims bench June 30. Jones suggested the merger.

Noting the geographical background of the four new cabinet members all from west of the Mississippi Senator Johnson (D-Colo) observed to newsmen:

"The government is moving off the Hudson river. It's been there a long time."

President Roosevelt who long relied on easterners in his official family, once had four New Yorkers in his cabinet at the same time.

Morgenthau Sticks

At reporter at Truman's news conference asked if Treasury Secretary Morgenthau had offered his resignation yesterday. Truman said he had not and that if Morgenthau had it would not have been accepted.

In response to another question, the chief executive said he contemplated making no changes in the state department portfolio, now held by Edward R. Stettinius, Jr.

Asked if he had asked for the resignation of any of those replaced yesterday, the president replied in the negative. Sterling he said he had "the resignations of every one in the government who could resign. The resignations of Biddle and Miss Perkins were dated May 21, Wickard's April 1. Each was accepted yesterday.

Miss Perkins' successor joins Interior Secretary Harold L. Ickes

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The War Today

DeWitt MacKenzie

Things are beginning to move in the regeneration of Germany, and one of the most striking developments revolves about the appointment of an aged anti-nazi German to carry out the administration—under American supervision—of a large political unit in the Rhineland.

He is Dr. Hans Fuchs, a public official for many years prior to the Hitler regime, who is to work under Lt. Gen. Leonard T. Gerow, military governor and commander of the U. S. 15th Army. Dr. Fuch's service dates back to the days of Kaiser Wilhelm and he knows his people. It therefore is of prime significance when he tells us:

"My greatest aim is to inculcate a new Christian spirit in our youth—a spirit in which both Catholic and Protestant churches must collaborate in teaching. In a conference with educational leaders of the Rhineland I told them the combined efforts of all of us would be necessary to rid the nazi thoughts from our people's minds, and in this the Christian church, regardless of creed (Dr. Fuchs is a Catholic), would have to be the leading factor and carry the greatest responsibility."

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Dr. Fuchs and his religious views are introduced here because letters are coming to my desk from throughout the country as the result of comment in this column on the remaking of Germany. German reform must, of course, depend on a long and intensive period of education—especially since Hitler paved the way for his barbarities and aggression by depriving German youth of their religion. He knew they wouldn't follow him so long as they held religious principles.

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Demand

Washington, May 24—(AP)—Here is a war bond statement from Vice Admiral Alan G. Kirk, Commander U. S. Naval Forces, France:

"A war bond has a double power. To buy another bond is to strike another blow at the enemy war machine today and drive another rivet in the rising structure of America tomorrow. Present success and future security demand a response from us all".

Far-Reaching So-Called 'Security' Bill to Congress

Senator Wagner of New York Father of New Social Aid Plan

Washington, May 24—(AP)—A new, broad concept of social security, including health insurance, was introduced in congress today with a plea that the nation needs it as a postwar bulwark.

The far-reaching measure, increasing costs to both employes and employers was proposed by Senator Wagner (D-N. Y.) and Rep. Dingell (D-Mich.)

Wagner, explaining the legislation in detail in a speech prepared for the senate, listed these principal proposals:

1—Contributions of employers and employes are to be increased from one to four per cent each.

2 Every citizen would be eligible to health insurance similar to the present voluntary hospital insurance plans now in effect. None of the current plans would be affected, they could continue in business.

3 -The government would em-

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War Casualties Reach 996,089

Washington, May 24 -(AP)- The Army and Navy have suffered almost a million casualties since the beginning of the war, the two services reported today.

The Army has lost 856,525, on a basis of individual names received here through May 11 Navy losses of 109,564 make the total 996,089.

This is an increase of 9,875 above last week's report.

The breakdown on Army casualties and corresponding figures for the preceding week.

Killed 184,739 and 178,854; wounded 550,506 and 511,249; missing 57,863 and 66,684; prisoners 96,178 and 89,152.

Under Secretary of War Patterson said that 362,910 of the wounded have returned to duty and 25,856 of the prisoners have been officially listed as exchanged or returned to military control.

Similar figures for the navy

Killed 12,807 and 11,986; wounded 52,607 and 50,121, missing 10,505 and 10,620 prisoners 1,217 and 1,218.

Treasury Wants 5,000 Additional Field Agents to Probe Tax Cases

Washington May 24 (AP)— Secretary Morgenthau is asking the budget bureau and congress for funds to recruit an additional 5,000 treasury field agents "at once" in a fast-mounting investigation of tax evasion.

There now are 1,500 agents at work.

Morgenthau said "we are running into so many shocking cases. It is shocking, revolting, and disgusting that anybody who has got a fine business in wartime should try to make these illegal profits by evading their taxes."

He told his news conference that a man operating restaurants in New York City has come forward through his tax lawyer and made a "voluntary disclosure" of $2,200,000 in gross income over a three-year period that was "overlooked" in filing returns.

The secretary declined to name the restaurant owner but said, "we are going to try to prove he has been dishonest with his government. If we can get a case we will prosecute to the hilt."

Morgenthau said the $2,200,000 was in cash kept in various vaults. He said evidence indicates that the owner sent an armored truck around to his restaurants every day and picked up a certain amount of cash which was put into a vault.

Morgenthau declared the "voluntary offer to pay" was made after treasury agents began examining the company's books.

"There are thousands and thousands of cases we just can't process," he added. "We need a minimum of 5,000 more treasury agents at once. I have been giving a lot of time myself to this drive we are making against people in the black market who are not paying taxes. I'm in dead earnest about this."

The Weather

THURSDAY, MAY 24, 1945

Chicago and vicinity, Partly cloudy tonight and Friday with a few light showers tonight moderate southerly winds, low tonight 58 high Friday 70 low Friday night 62

Illinois, Partly cloudy mild tonight and Friday and tonight with occasional showers north portions tonight.

DIXON WEATHER

Forecast, Partly cloudy tonight and Friday with a few light showers tonight moderate southerly winds low tonight 58, high Friday 78 low Friday 62

For the 24 hours ending at 7:00 a. m. (Central War Time) today, maximum temperature 69 minimum 54 (year ago, 81 and 59); part cloudy precipitation .11 inches, total for May to date 6.77 inches total for year to date 19.09 inches

Friday sun rises at 5:51, sets at 8:15

TEMPERATURES
(High Wednesday, low last night)

Atlanta	82	56
Boston	70	48
Miami	86	76
New York	72	52
Brownsville	85	69
Fort Worth	84	68
Jacksonville	90	62
Chicago	70	52
Cincinnati	71	59
Cleveland	62	44
Detroit	64	45
Indianapolis	72	52
Marquette	54	41
Memphis	80	54
Milwaukee	67	49
Miami	80	57
Des Moines	72	55
Duluth	71	57
Kansas City	77	60
Minneapolis, St. Paul	77	57
Omaha	73	59
St. Louis	79	58
Wichita	78	59
Denver	78	49
Helena	64	44
Phoenix	95	64
Salt Lake City	77	42
Los Angeles	75	58
San Diego	69	54
Seattle	63	50

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PROCEEDINGS OF LEE CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

State of Illinois,
County of Lee—ss.

On Wednesday, the 25th day of April, A. D. 1945, at the hour of ten o'clock in the forenoon, the Board of Supervisors of Lee county met at the court house in the city of Dixon in special session, pursuant to a call signed by more than one-third of the members of said board, and filed with the county clerk as provided by law.

The said call for such special meeting of said board being for the purpose to perfect organization of said board, to elect a chairman and to transact any other business that may legally come before said board.

The clerk proceeded to call the roll of hold-over members as follows. Chairman Case and Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Kranov, Spangler, Hart, Sandrock and Kuebel.

The clerk read the call for the special meeting which is as follows:

TO THE COUNTY CLERK OF LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

We, the undersigned, constituting not less than one-third of the members of the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, hereby request that you call a special meeting of the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, to be held at Dixon at 10:00 a. m. on the 25th day of April, 1945, for the following purposes

1. To perfect organization of said board of supervisors and elect a chairman thereof
2. To adopt a resolution for the construction of roads upon highways within the county heretofore designated as state aid roads:
3. For the consideration of a resolution to be adopted calling an election for the purpose of submitting to the voters of said county the question of issuing bonds for the purpose of constructing said roads.
4. For consideration and acting upon such other business as may properly come before the board at said meeting.

Dated this 9th day of April, A. D. 1945.

Supervisors	Township
Chas. J. Kuebel	Sublette, Ill.
A. C. Higby	Dixon, Ill.
Henry W. Gehant, W.	Brooklyn, Ill.
Carl E. Spangler	Nachusa, Ill.
Elmer J. Miller	China
Leon J. Hart	Palmyra
E. C. Barnes	Amboy
Chas. C. Case	Wyoming
L. D. Hemenway	Alto
Leon W. Miller	Dixon, Ill.
J. W. Sandrock	Reynolds
Geo. F. Prescott	Dixon

Chairman Case asked the clerk if all newly elected supervisors and assistant supervisors had properly qualified, the answer being that they had.

A motion was made by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller, seconded by Supervisor Barnes that the newly elected supervisors and assistant upervisors be properly seated. Carried.

The clerk then called the roll of newly elected members with the following answering present: Supervisors Vaupel, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Emmitt, Cortright, Webber and Risetter.

Chairman Case welcomed the new supervisors and assistants in a few well chosen words, and praised the efforts of their predecessors.

A motion was made by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller, seconded by Supervisor Mau that the members retain the same seats during the year, that they occupied during the previous year. Carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Kranov, seconded by Supervisor Prescott that all claims and communications on file be referred to the proper committees. Carried.

Chairman Case announced that the next order of business would be the election of a chairman for the year.

Supervisor Sproul placed the name of Chas. C. Case as chairman for the year, which was duly seconded by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller.

There being no other nominations, a motion was made by Supervisor Higby, seconded by Supervisor Hart that the clerk cast the unanimous ballot of the members for Supervisor Case as chairman. Carried. Clerk Schrock then declared Supervisor Case duly elected chairman of the board for the ensuing year.

The new chairman thanked the members for again honoring him by electing him chairman. He also thanked the members, as well as the county officials and the press for all assistance and courtesies extended him during the year just past and asked for the continuation of that assistance.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hart, seconded by Supervisor Mau that the board adjourn until 1:30 this afternoon. Carried.

At the hour of 1:30 p. m. in the afternoon, the board of supervisors reconvened pursuant to adjournment. Present same as at the morning session.

The clerk read the list of standing committees for the year as follows.

STANDING COMMITTEES
Charles C. Case, Chairman
April, 1945, to Organization Meeting, 1946

JUDICIARY COMMITTEE—J. W. Cortright, chairman; J. Clark Hess, Leon W. Miller, Carl E. Spangler, A. C. Higby.

CLAIMS COMMITTEE — John Finn, chairman; Wm. Kranov, Chas. J. Kuebel, Justin, Becker, Everett F. Barnes.

FINANCE COMMITTEE — H. O. Risetter, chairman; Henry W. Gehant, L. D. Hemenway, Milton G. Vaupel, George F. Prescott.

EDUCATIONAL COMMITTEE —Wm Kranov, chairman; Seth Anderson, Wm. G. Ford, Justin Becker, W. W. Teschendorff.

PRINTING COMMITTEE —Carl E. Spangler, chairman; Joy Sandrock, Wm. G. Ford, Seth Anderson, Henry W Gehant.

COUNTY HOME COMMITTEE - A. C. Higby, chairman, Elmer Miller, J. W. Cortright, Leon J. Hart Wm Kranov

BUILDING COMMITTEE—John J. Wagner, chairman, George F. Prescott, L. D. Hemenway, Frank G. Sproul, O. S. Baylor.

PAUPER COMMITTEE—J. Clark Hess, chairman; John J. Wagner, W. W. Teschendorff, Chas. J. Kuebel, George F. Prescott.

SOLDIERS AND SAILORS—John T. Emmitt, chairman; Leon J. Hart, O. S. Baylor, Leon W. Miller, Seth Anderson.

FEES AND SALARIES COMMITTEE Elmer Miller, chairman, Frank C. Sproul, John T. Emmitt, John Finn, Everett F. Barnes

EXPENSE AND PURCHASING COMMITTEE - Elmer Miller, chairman, John J. Wagner, Frank C. Sproul, Milton G. Vaupel, John T. Emmitt.

TOWN ACCOUNTS COMMITTEE—Chas. J. Kuebel, chairman; Wm. G. Ford, J. E. Mau, Elmer Miller, O. S. Baylor.

ROAD & BRIDGE COMMITTEE: George Webber, chairman; J. E. Mau, Leon J. Hart, Justin Becker, Leon W. Miller.

ELECTION EXPENSE COMMITTEE—Frank C. Sproul, chairman; George Webber, Everett J. Barnes, Henry W. Gehant.

SPECIAL BOVINE COMMITTEE—Milton G. Vaupel, chairman; J. Clark Hess, George Webber, H. O. Risetter.

RULES COMMITTEE—J. E. Mau, chairman; W. W. Teschendorff, A. C. Higby, John Finn, Joy Sandrock.

SPECIAL RIGHT-OF-WAY COMMITTEE—L. D. Hemenway, chairman; H. O. Risetter, J. W. Cortright.

COUNTY LIQUOR COMMISSION—C. C. Case, chairman; J. W. Cortright, J. Clark Hess, Leon W. Miller, Carl E. Spangler, A. C. Higby.

A motion was made by Supervisor Finn, seconded by Supervisor Barnes that the list of committees as read by the committees for the coming year. Carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Mau, seconded by Supervisor Leon W. Miller that the rules governing the board during the past year be the rules governing the board for this year. Carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Mau, seconded by Supervisor Spangler that the chairman appoint the county health committee for the year. Carried.

Chairman Case mentioned that he would make the appointment later in the meeting.

The following request from the Public Aid Commission was read to the board:

Mr. Sterling Schrock, County Clerk
Court House
Dixon, Illinois
Dear Mr. Schrock:

Will you please request the board of supervisors to name a person to the Lee County Advisory Board, to take the place left vacant by Mr. Spencer's death?

As you will remember I discussed this situation with you last Friday.

Thank you for your help in this matter.

Yours truly,
A LENORE SCHWAB.
Supt. Lee Co. Dept. of Public Assistance.

A motion was made by Supervisor Kranov, seconded by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller that the chairman appoint the member. Carried.

Chairman Case then appointed Supervisor A. C. Higby to take the place on this committe

The report of the grand jury for the April term was read as follows:

State of Illinois,
County of Lee- ss
In the Circuit Court of said County.
April Term, A. D. 1945.

TO THE HONORABLE GEORGE C. DIXON JUDGE OF SAID COURT. REPORT OF GRAND JURY.

We, the undersigned members of the April, 1945, grand jury hereby submit the following report

We visited the county jail and adjoining property on the 9th day of April, A. D. 1945 and found that on this day there were 11 male prisoners confined in said jail

Upon investigation we found the jail in a sanitary condition and the prisoners well cared for by Sheriff LeRoy Bates We also find the Lee county court house and appurtenant county property in good condition; we recommend light paint on inside of cells in the county jail, painting of cornice, elimination of outside loose wires causing fire hazard, and when conditions permit the erection of a suitable modern jail structure

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Albert L. Gehant
Fred Otterbach
Orville Delhotal
Edwina Edwards
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John L. Sheafter
Arthur Missman
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John Hoyle
Carl C. Ackert
Albert G. Hill
Mrs. Mildred Kersten

State of Illinois
Lee County- ss.

I, E. S Rosecians clerk of the circuit court (and ex-officio recorder) in and for the county and state aforesaid, and keeper of the files, records and seal of said court (and of the real estate records of said county) do hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and complete copy of the report of grand jury, at the April A. D. 1945, term of the circuit court of Lee county, Illinois as appears from the records and files in my office

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court at my office in Dixon, in said county this 11th day of April, A. D. 1945.

E. S ROSECRANS, Clerk.
By Helen A Thompson, Deputy

A motion was made by Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Wagner that the report be received, approved and placed on file. Carried.

The following request from the grand jury for the April term was read:

TO THE HONORABLE CHAIRMAN AND MEMBERS OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS, LEE COUNTY, ILLINOIS:

The grand jury for the April term, A. D. 1945, of the circuit court of Lee county, Illinois, by the undersigned committee of said grand jury appointed for this purpose, respectfully request this board to authorize the employment of a special investigator to assist said grand jury and the state's attorney of Lee county, Illinois, in the investigation of certain matters now under consideration and other criminal matters arising in this county and to appropriate a reasonable amount to be paid as compensation to said investigator.

Dated this twenty-fourth day of April, A. D. 1945.

LEE COUNTY GRAND JURY,
for the
April Term, A. D. 1945
By HOWARD J. HALL,
Foreman
HERMAN SANDERS,
Member
JOHN HOYLE,
Member

After some discussion, a motion was made by Supervisor Emmitt, seconded by Supervisor Finn that the request be tabled. Carried.

The following request from the probation officer of the circuit court was read:

Dixon, Illinois,
April 25, 1945

TO THE HONORABLE C. C. CASE, CHAIRMAN OF THE LEE COUNTY BOARD OF SUPERVISORS:

Due to the added amount of probation cases and the intensive investigation required, I, Jane Gannon, probation officer of the Lee county circuit court, do hereby apply for an appropriate increase in pay in accordance with the amount of work rendered.

From all indications there will be a continuation of the added amount of probation work.

In addition to the probation work, I have been making investigations and reports for Judge Dixon in other matters of the court.

Submitted this 25th day of April A. D. 1945.

Signed:
JANE GANNON,
Probation Officer of the Lee County Circuit Court.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hess, seconded by Supervisor Leon W. Miller that the matter be referred to the fees and salaries committee to bring in a recommendation at the next meeting. Carried.

The clerk read the following communication from Dr. John P. Walsh, acting county health officer of the Lee county health department:

April 24, 1945.

Chairman and Board of Supervisors of Lee County:
Gentlemen:

For any consideration which you may wish to give, it is desired to bring to your attention at this time the fact that a vacancy now exists on the public health committee of the Lee county board of supervisors in view of Mr. T. J. Miller not having been a candidate for re-election.

Your suggestions on the advisability of expanding the present committee to include five or six members of our group, representative of all sections of Lee county, would likewise be sincerely appreciated. This latter expansion might be desirable in that closer liaison could then be maintained with all sections of the county and would result in more complete determination of existing problems and their effective solution.

On behalf of the members of the staff of the Lee county health department, and speaking very specifically for myself, we wish to express our sincere thanks for the splendid cooperation which your group has always given us and wish to assure you that we shall continue to do all in our power to reciprocate.

Very truly yours,
JOHN P. WALSH, M. D.,
Acting County Health Officer

Chairman Case appointed the following members to serve on the county health committee: Supervisors Mau, Higby, Elmer J. Miller, Hemenway and Vaupel. The ex-officio members to be the same—John A. Torrens, Co. superintendent of schools, and Dr. Gene Sullivan of Amboy.

The following resolution was read to the board:

State of Illinois,
Lee County—ss.

WHEREAS, the public welfare demands that the state aid road system be modified to meet the present conditions.

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OGLE COUNTY COURT HOUSE

A complaint for separate maintenance was filed in the Ogle county circut clerk's office by Esther Elizabeth Tempel against Wesley H. Tempel. Plaintiff claims she was unable to bear the indignities shown toward her by the defendant that she was required to leave their home near Forreston on April 28, 1945. The Tempels were married Feb. 20, 1945 at Shannon. Attorneys Loesch, Schofield, Loesch & Burke & and Martin V. Peterman represents the plaintiff.

An automobile accident case asking for $10,000 damages was filed in the office of the clerk of the Circuit court by Rosa Benigni, administratrix of the estate of Luciano Benigni, deceased, against Esther Glammery and Frank W. Glammeyer. The accident occurred on highway alternate 330 on May 21, 1944. Luciano Benigni died on the 21st day of May, A. D. 1944 at Rochelle. Plaintiff is represented by O'Neil & O'Malley, attorneys.

E. M. McNett was granted a divorce from Vivian E. McNett by Judge Leon A. Zick in Ogle county Circuit court on grounds of desertion. The McNetts were married April 10, 1939 at Waterloo, Iowa. Plaintiff was represented by Attorneys Fearer and Nye.

Resulting from an automobile accident with a highway truck and attached snow plow at the intersection of Route 64 and 51 known as Sipe's corner, the petit jury returned a verdict finding the issues for the plaintiff J. H. Walker against the defendant U. H. Rieken. The damages being in the amount of $389.48. Attorneys Fearer and Nye represented the plaintiff.

Wilma Irene White was granted a divorce from John Oscar White by Judge Leon A. Zick in Ogle county Circuit court on grounds of cruelty. The Whites were married July 5, 1942 at Kohoka, Mo. Plaintiff allowed to resume her maiden name of Wilma Irene Bowers. Attorney S. D. Crowell represented the plaintiff.

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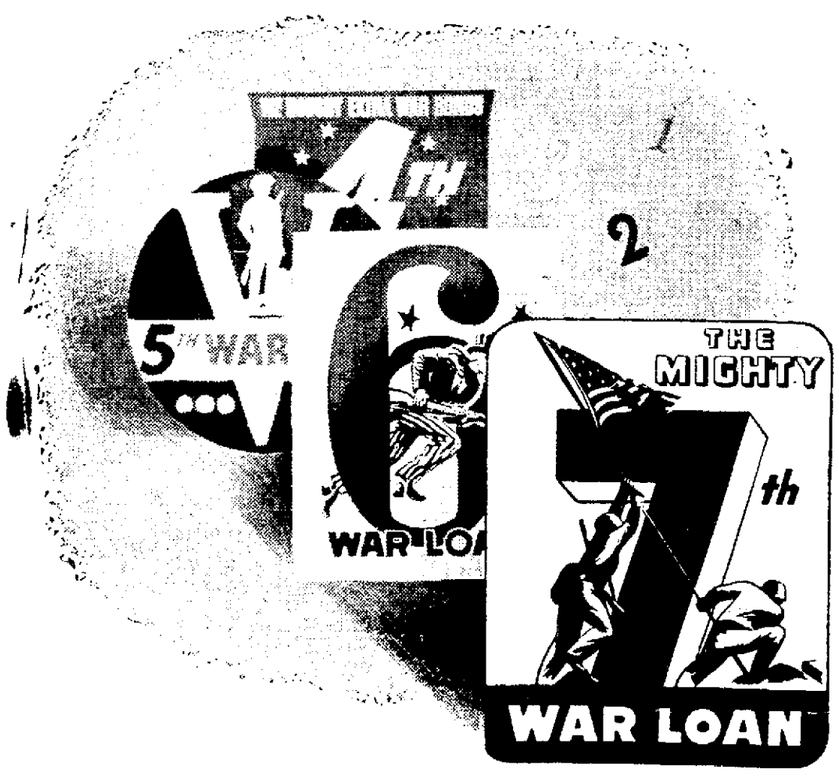
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A Thought for Today

And, behold, there are last which shall be first, and there are first which shall be last. —Luke 13:30.

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They never fail who die in a great cause.—Milton.

Unhappy Birthday

The War Labor Disputes (Smith-Connally) Act, which was supposed to prevent wartime strikes, will be two years old on June 25. Probably the only celebration of the event is already passed—a recent New York Times poll of a group of senators and representatives to find out what they thought of this particular example of their handiwork.

The results were pretty remarkable. Seventeen lawmakers approved the law as is. Twenty-two favored it with reservations (some thought it should be amended, others said it hadn't been properly enforced. Six disapproved it or would vote for repeal. Two were bravely non-committal.

Even more remarkable was the fact that, although a dozen or so would like to see the law amended, none could suggest any improvement. A typical quotation was this: "It hasn't done any good and I'd be for any bill that is better, but I have no ideas."

Most remarkable of all was this statement: "I voted for it on the representation that it was anti-strike legislation, but I found out by reading the law later that it wasn't, so I have little regard for it."

We don't have any specific amendments to pass along to the puzzled lawmakers. And even if we did, we aren't sure we'd tell them. After all, the members get $10,000 a year plus a new, tax-free, $2,500 expense account for doing that sort of work themselves.

But it seems to us that since the majority of congressmen polled felt that the law was something less than perfect, some one of them might do a little serious pondering on the possibility of improvement. The prevention of war-time strikes in essential industries would seem to be important enough to merit the effort.

A glance at some of the shortcomings of the Smith-Connally Act might suggest a solution. It should be obvious to all members—even the one who didn't bother to read the bill before voting for it—that this law hasn't stopped wartime strikes, and that it has actually invited them by the automatic procedure of a strike vote in unsettled disputes.

We wonder if the Smith-Connally Act really is beyond improvement, or if it is that congress, having angrily overriden a veto to pass it two years ago, is now too proud or stubborn to admit that it was a bonehead mistake to do so.

Fair Enough

by Westbrook Pegler

New York—When Joe Fay and James Bove, vice-presidents of big construction unions of the American Federation of Labor, were sentenced to eight and one-half years in prison on April 5, so much other news was breaking that important details were omitted from most of the accounts which reached the public.

Because this case reveals a connection between the union racket, the construction racket, which is just as corrupt as any other, the criminal underworld and political subsidiaries of the Roosevelt government, this will be a background essay. A New York judge has just released Fay and Bove on $25,000 bail during their appeal. So there is a possibility that they will wiggle off the hook after all.

These vicious criminals shook down contractors for $368,000 on the Delaware aqueduct job, a $300,000,000 project paid for largely by federal taxes. Federal offenses were inherent but Fay is a Democratic politician in the Hague machine in New Jersey and in the old-line grafting Democratic mob of political contractors and union bosses in New York. Moreover, the gang had connections with the Kelly organization in Chicago. For political reasons the passive United States department of justice let them alone so the prosecution of Fay and Bove was a local job done in New York by Frank Hogan.

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On the day of sentence, attorneys for the crooks asked the court that there was danger of retaliation by the mob against those few contractors who had come into court to testify. Accordingly, Judge Munson did warn Fay and Bove that if there was retaliation by anyone, he would see to it that they must serve their full terms of 15 years.

But Hogan also made some remarks about contractors on the same job who gave him no help and he didn't give them the benefit of any doubt. He thought they weren't willing to do their duty as citizens.

First, Hogan discussed Harry McLean of Toronto, a spectacular drunkard who made himself notorious a few years ago by throwing away wads of money. McLean got a big reputation as a great open-handed man of mystery but he was just cockeyed. In September, 1942, Hogan sent him an accountant to examine his books and McLean beat him up. A month later Hogan sent an assistant district attorney to see him and McLean flatly refused to enter New York. Later, McLean went to the Battle Creek Sanitarium to bail out and was grabbed as a witness but sneaked away during the night after admitting, however, that he had paid graft of $125,000 on the job.

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"Another example of good citizenship," Hogan then continued, and he tells me he was being sarcastic, "was presented by Stephen A. Healy of Chicago."

Healy is a big construction contractor and politician. He is a friend of Mayor Ed Kelly and of William D. Maloney, the president of Fay's union. Maloney also is a Chicago Democratic politician. Last year Healy picked up at a bargain the enormous Stevens hotel in Chicago which the Army had commandeered briefly for a military training center. This year Healy sold the hotel at a profit of $1,000,000.

"For over a year," Hogan said, "Healy refused to come into this jurisdiction. All we could do was beg him to be a good citizen and to urge his attorneys so to persuade him.

"'Healy stood out there and ignored us," Hogan told the court. Later he was picked up in Florida under a reciprocal witness treaty but started habeas corpus proceedings and got away to Chicago. After a year and half, however, he did come to New York.

"Then," Hogan said, "he had a very fancy story, indeed."

Healy had paid $125,000 but none of it to Fay or Bove. He had paid money to Mike Carrozzo, an old-time Capone gangster in prostitution and unionism, and an intimate friend and colleague of Healy's bosom friend, Maloney. Carrozzo, however, was now dead.

Fay, on the other hand was and still is alive and kicking and he is still vice-president of the operating engineers, under Maloney. If Healy had testified that he paid tribute to Fay for immunity from labor trouble on the aqueduct job he would have injured Maloney's racket. And it is a fine racket because in a few years in the union business, Maloney has acquired a great farm in Illinois, a winter home in Florida, and a stable of race horses.

"That," Hogan said, disposing of Healy, "is the kind of witness we had to deal with."

Maloney has been investigated, even indicted, often before.

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One investigation was made by the treasury. Dennis Ziegler, a rank and file worker, and father of a large family, had been hounded out of his job and made a destitute because he tried to reform a Chicago local in opposition to Maloney. He appealed to William Green, president of the A. F. of L., and Green accused him of trying to disrupt labor's solidarity. In desperation he gave information to agents of the treasury who then made inquiries into the incomes of Maloney and others.

One night in February, 1933, Ziegler telephoned the treasury agents, imploring armed protection because he had been chased in a public street and threatened with death. Two treasury agents have verified this phone call. However, the treasury had no police force and therefore could not help him.

A few nights later, on Feb. 26, 1933, Ziegler was waylaid and murdered by a gunman within sight of his home.

One night in August, 1941, William Green attended a festive brawl given by the Chicago mob in honor of Maloney and said, "Bill Maloney is a highly efficient administrator and executive of great talent and, though there is no need to tell you people who know Bill, a loyal, intelligent, honest, courageous leader of organized labor."

NEWS BEHIND THE NEWS

By PAUL MALLON

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Washington—A complete cabinet shake-down is coming, involving state and treasury in addition to agriculture, justice and labor.

The 23-man cabinet mushroom, which Truman inherited from Roosevelt, is being slowly trimmed to a wieldy ten. Heads of various independent war and administrative agencies had been invited to cabinet discussions by the late president, and as a result, the meetings lately have resembled a mob of stockholders rather than a decorous assembly of a board of directors.

In this 23-man cabinet, furthermore, Roosevelt had a coterie of ear-whisperers—or they had him. After each session, those who fancied themselves as favorites would come up and whisper in his ear the real business of their departments. He actually had a receiving line of ear-whisperers after each cabinet session, each waiting his turn for the ear.

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This evidence of mutual distrust in the cabinet had reached such proportions near the end that Roosevelt, on one occasion informed an official:

"I cannot take your subject up at a cabinet meeting because I know at least two would tell a newspaperman and I cannot afford to have it leak."

Truman favors table-talking over ear-whispering, and is picking men not only that he can trust but who may trust each other.

But this is not the biggest change being worked up inside. A personnel dynasty had been built up within the government. It was headed by Roosevelt's administrative assistant, William H. McReynolds. He chose the heads of all the important bureaus, and the bureau chiefs whom he selected, in turn, carried out his will in selecting their subordinates.

These were not political appointees (Democratic party) as much as personal choices of various people around Roosevelt. He himself did not have much time for the matter, and left everything to McReynolds, who allowed himself full leeway in setting up a super-regime reaching into every government bureau.

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McReynolds was dropped by Truman soon after taking office. He may have pondered a while about leaving, but then departed silently. His departure signified the end of this method of choice for promotion and pay in government service.

Bureau heads hereafter will be chosen by Truman himself and they in turn will be allowed to choose men with whom they can work. I suspect the new Postmaster General Bob Hannegan will keep an eye on this matter for the Democratic party.

There was another clique which had long tenure and amazing growth under Roosevelt—the Frankfurter machine. Each government bureau, no matter how small or simple, generally has a legal counsel or staff, and Supreme Court Justice Frankfurter was instrumental in choosing the key men for nearly all of these. In his time at Harvard law school he had amassed personal connections with an army of young lawyers of his school of legal thought.

Contrary to general public suspicion, I do not believe Frankfurter was the mentor of the late president in the sense that he sat over his shoulder for this and other purposes. He seldom came to the White House.

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I think most of his appointments were the results of notes he was accustomed to send to Roosevelt, notes not confined to recommending his "fine young men" for the guiding and directing legal staffs of all the government departments, but sometimes on matters of policy also.

At any rate, during the Roosevelt years, the White House accumulated a mass of notes from Frankfurter and Frankfurter accumulated control of legal interpretation within the government in behalf of his opinions on practically all subjects, for his young men generally worshipped or at least granted superior respect to his viewpoint.

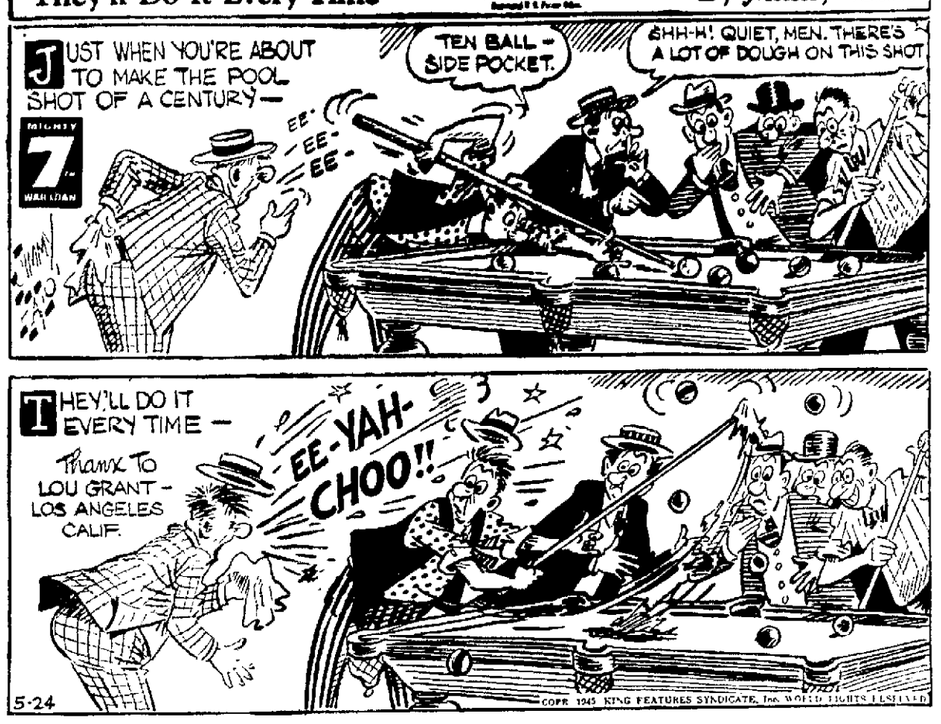
The Frankfurter dynasty also broke like a plate which falls to the floor. When Truman came in, he simply pushed it off the table. A different result could hardly have been expected.

When one opinion on law and policy prevails throughout government—no matter how good or bad that opinion is—the scales of justice have been permanently tipped to one side, and one side only. It is therefore no longer justice. It does not weigh rightness and wrongness. It orders what has already been decided. It is autocratic and Hitleresque.

A long time may be required before the full effect of the new change in legal appointments may be apparent, but it is already beginning to be evident within various bureau legal divisions.

They'll Do It Every Time

By Jimmy Hatlo



ONE HEIL OF A TIME

St. Peter's Port, Guernsey — (AP)—Mrs. Winifred K. Green spent five months in German prisons for answering "Heil Churchill!" to very salute of "Heil Hitler" during German occupation of the Channel Islands.

A waitress at a hotel, she heiled with the best of them—but always fo Churchill. Jailed at Guernsey, Jersey and finally at Caen, France, she embroidered "Heil Churchill Vee For Victory" on her bedsheet.

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Marriage is a Serious BUSINESS

by Randolph Ray

Preparation For Marriage

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Happiness comes not by accident but by intelligent effort and tireless good will and endless hard work.

Not long ago, a young friend of mine brought his fiancee to see me and to make arrangements for their wedding. She told me that she had just finished her long training and she was going to be a nurse.

"You have spent a lot of time and effort and thought at that," I said. "But what preparation have you made for marriage? Have you thought about it?"

She looked puzzled. "Oh, we'll work it out all right," she said cheerfully.

"But you could hardly be a good nurse on that basis, could you?"

She laughed. "Of course not."

"Which is more important to you—being a good nurse or being a good wife?"

"Being a wife. . . . Oh, I see," she said slowly. "You mean that marriage is my real life work. And you don't think I know much about it."

"Well, do you?"

She shook her head.

"It is going to be a harder job than nursing," I pointed out, "and there aren't any graduation exercises. Your study must go on and on. You two will find that you don't like the same things, you don't enjoy the same people, you are accustomed to spending your leisure time in different ways. Learning to adjust to one another is going to take patience and a lot of good clear thinking."

She nodded. "I'm going to do my best, and try to get used to thinking of marriage as my real career, my life work."

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LIVING is an art. It is not a haphazard, irresponsible experience. Like any art, its technique must be learned, its meaning must be explored. Divorce is a sign of failure in living, and an excellent remedy for divorce, as well as for the unhappy marriages which do not end in divorce, lies in the hands of parents of children now growing up.

We cannot stop the disaster or prevent it by working from the wrong end—after marriage. We can prevent divorce and unhappy marriage only by preparing our children for marriage and by teaching them from babyhood the facts of life. We must teach them self-reliance, independence, the sanctity of marriage, its spiritual features, its ethics, its duties, as well as the liberty that must be given to both parties if the marriage is to last and to be right.

A knowledge of sex and an understanding of the part it plays in marriage is an essential part of the preparation for marriage. Physical attraction is an important part of marriage, but only a part. A clear knowledge of sex and a sense of proportion about it are a protection to every child or young person on the verge of marriage.

When the child begins to question you, answer in terms he will understand. As he grows older, put into his hands some of the competent books which have been written on the subject. An ignorant mind is not an innocent mind.

Sex must not be disregarded. It should not and it cannot be. But if you teach your child from the very start the truth about it, the good and beautiful and natural part it plays in life, the child will grow up without abnormal curiosity or exaggerated carnal appetites. Marriage will then be stabilized and entered upon in a deeper and holier spirit.

Next: Problems of the Wartime Marriage.

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Church News

St. Patrick's Catholic Every Friday Novena to Our Sorrowful Mother — services at 2:30 and 7:30.

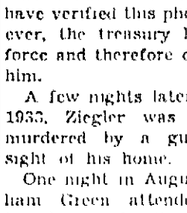
Sunday Mass hours—5:30, 7:30 9:00 and 10:30.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN

St. Paul's Lutheran Youth choir will meet for rehearsal for Children's Day at 6:30 tonight, in the primary room of the church. All intermediates and high school ages are urged to respond.

The Youth League of St. Paul's will bowl at the Lincoln Lanes Friday evening at 7:30, meet at the church at 7:15. They will come back to the parsonage for refreshments after bowling.

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From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

Dan Culpin Gets His Second Wind

Dan Culpin got his plowing done in record time this year. He was sitting on his porch, enjoying a well-deserved glass of beer, while Bob Wirts, his neighbor, still had over an acre to go.

It burned Bob up, seeing Dan relaxed while he worked. So he'd stop and have a glass of cider—and make out that he was in no hurry anyway.

"And that was the trouble," Dan explained to me. "I kept on going till I got my second wind; and saved *my* rest until the job was done. He stopped to rest—and he *never* got his second wind."

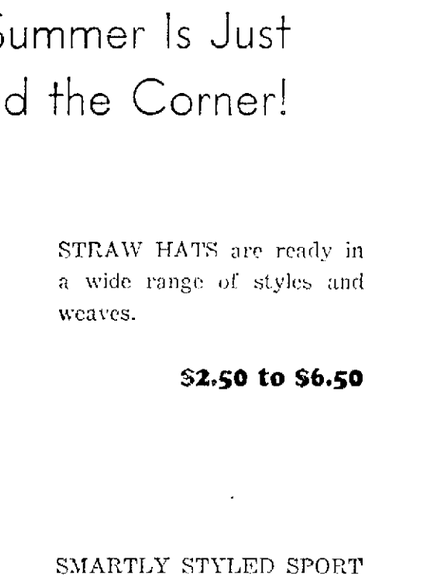
From where I sit, there's a moral there for all of us. We've been working hard to win this war. A little rest may look awfully tempting. But by keeping going, by never letting up, we can count on getting our second wind that will overcome weariness and see us through to Victory.

Joe Marsh

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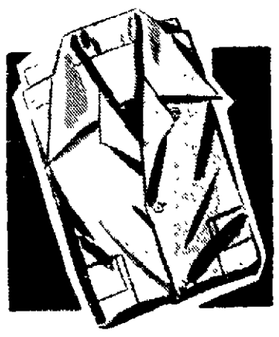
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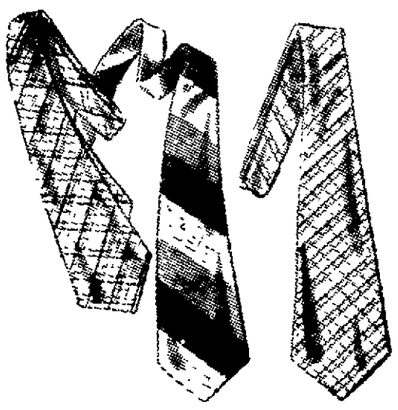
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Kindergarten Work Subject for Talk by Miss Crabtree

Twenty-eight members of the Young Mothers' club met at the Presbyterian church Wednesday night to hear Miss Anna Jean Crabtree, kindergarten teacher at South Central school.

Miss Crabtree talked on "Origin and Benefits of Kindergarten Instruction," and explained the numerous conducted rules kindergarten children are taught to observe. These rules which have been thoughtfully selected by educational leaders, teaches children to be self-reliant and prepares them for first grade work.

During the business meeting preceding the program, plans were made for the club's annual dinner to be held June 13 at 6:45 o'clock at the Presbyterian church, which will be the Young Mother's last meeting until September. Mrs. Wilford Kitson will serve as chairman of the committee in charge of the dinner arrangements, and Mrs. Frank Randall will head the committee planning the entertainment.

Mrs. Dwight Hartzell, chairman of the nominating committee, and her assistants, Mrs R. K. Goldthorpe and Mrs E. L. Houden, presented the following officers for the next club year:

Mrs. Omer Thomas, president, Mrs. Clarence Bush, vice president; Mrs. Robert Benson, secretary, Mrs. H. E Burbank, treasurer, and Mrs. Ralph Cox historian.

At the conclusion of the meeting refreshments were served by Mrs. Wilson Walker, hostess chairman, and her committee, Mrs. Frank Kingsley, Mrs Curtis Taylor and Mrs. Helen Welles.

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Community Players Elect Walter Krug as New President

The Community Players held a scramble supper at the Loveland Community House at 6 30 o'clock Tuesday evening with nearly 30 present. After supper, I. A. Hardy as master of ceremonies, introduced a musical entitled "In an Old Fashioned Garden," compiled and directed by Louis Leydig. The cast included William Worley as pianist; I. A. Hardy, pastor; Mrs. Ed Gerdes an old-fashioned Miss, Louis Leydig an old-fashioned beau; Mrs. William Shutlz, Mrs Charles Redebaugh Mrs Edwin Merrick, Miss Joan Hooker, Miss Imogene Greer and Miss Norma Holman flower girls.

Edwin Merrick presented several very enjoyable magic tricks and William Worley gave several comic selections and a medley of popular music for the piano.

A business meeting with election of officers was held. Walter Krug is the new president; Edwin Merrick vice-president and Mrs. Clarence Bush secretary-treasurer. Board members elected were Mrs Charles Redebaugh Mrs Omar Thomas, Joe Hall and Louis Leydig.

Also named at this meeting was a program committee Mrs Randall Warfel will act as chairman and will be assisted by Evelyn Hollenbeck and Imogene Greer Mrs Omar Thomas Mrs Charles Redebaugh Ted Sommers, Joe Hall and Clarence Bush were named on the play-reading committee.

The club has welcomed many new members in the last year and are continuing to expand. They hope to continue to entertain and be of service to the community.

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ANNOUNCE BETROTHAL

Mr. and Mrs Walter Horst of Mt Morris have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Darlene to Robert Yetter of Hamilton. The wedding will take place on July 6 in Mt. Morris. Miss Horst has been teaching home economics in the Hamilton high school.

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CHILDREN'S PRACTICE

A children's day practice will be held at the First Christian church Saturday afternoon at 2 30 o'clock for all children of the church who will take part in the children's day program. All those interested in participating are asked to be present.

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WEEKEND GUEST

Mrs M. A. Haefner of Earlville spent the weekend with her son, Jack Haefner and family of Ashton.

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MISS BREITWEISER, ELMER RATZLAFF TO BE MARRIED SUNDAY

Mr and Mrs. Homer Breitweiser of Glen Elder, Kan., are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their eldest daughter, Marjorie, to Elmer Ratzlaff, son of Mrs. Katherine Ratzlaft of Sterling.

The marriage is to be solemnized Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock at the Grace Evangelical church in the presence of the families and close relatives.

Calendar

Tonight

Willing Workers Class of Grace Evangelical church—Mrs. Wilbur Senremer, hostess, 8 p m.

St. Luke's Evening guild—Mrs William Stabler hostess, 7 15 p. m.

W G G A Meet at Plum Hollow club 5 p m.

Shawger Sunday school class—Mrs. Clara Shawger, hostess, 7 30 p m.

Dixon Country club—Stag and business meeting, dinner 7 p m.

Royal Neighbors Mrs Dora Hett, hostess, 8 p m.

Duplicate Bridge Players—Meet at Elks club, 7 30 p.m.

Friday

Corinthian Shrine W S of J—Public installation and reception Brinton Memorial Masonic temple 8 p m.

Candlelighters society of Presbyterian church—May tea and musical at church 2 30 p m.

Girl Scout Troop No 4—Court of Awards Community House, 7 30 p m.

Palmyra Grange—Palmyra town hall 8 p m.

Thursday Reading circle—Mrs Roy Scholl, hostess, 2:30 p m.

Sugar Grove school—Closing day; scramble dinner, 12 30 p m.

Minnie Bell Rebekah lodge—Meet in I O O F hall, 8 p m.

Saturday

First Christian church Children's day practice 2 30 p m.

Sunday

Plum Hollow Golf and Country club—Golf 2 p m scramble supper at club house in the evening.

Wolverine school—Picnic at Lowell park noon.

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Volunteers Are Needed to Help Ready Scout Camp

The summer camping period at Camp John Ralston will soon begin, and volunteers from town have been assisting in readying the camp for the summer occupants, the Girl Scouts.

Volunteers are requested to swell the number who are getting ready for the opening and lend their aid in preparing the camp for opening day. The general rule is for volunteers to go to the camp at 1:30 o'clock on Sunday afternoon, help with the work at the camp in the afternoon, and then enjoy a picnic supper at 5 o'clock. Chicken and noodles and coffee are to be furnished by the committee this Sunday, but the workers are asked to provide their own table service and observe the usual picnic rules by taking a dish of food to pass. Anyone desiring transportation may telephone Mrs. George Lindquist, Girl Scout commissioner, at 1426.

The camp must be ready this year for opening on June 10 as the senior Girl Scouts of Clinton, Ia., have rented it for a one-week period. The money earned as rent is to be used to provide electricity for the camp.

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Supper Planned at Plum Hollow Sunday Evening

Members of Plum Hollow Golf and Country club are looking forward to good golf weather on Sunday, for they are planning two-ball foursome matches to begin promptly at 2 p m. The day's activities will be for all members and their invited guests.

Following the rounds of golf in the afternoon, there will be a scramble supper at the club house with picnic rules to be observed by those who attend Reservations for golf are to be made before Sunday.

The committee in charge of the Sunday's events will include Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy, Mr. and Mrs Melvin Cook and Mr. and Mrs Arthur Dewey.

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LOCAL PASTOR'S SON TO GRADUATE

The Rev. and Mrs. William E Thompson and their daughter and son, Marie and Bill, will attend the baccalaureate and commencement exercises at the Bethany Biblical seminary of Chicago over the week-end, at which time their son Paul Evans will be graduated.

Mr Thompson received his college training at McPherson, Kan and entered the seminary three years ago He has already had some pastoral and evangelistic experience, having served as pastor at Conway Springs, Kan., for six years.

He and his wife the former Edith Weigle and their two children will soon leave for Lena Ill. where he has accepted the pastorage of a church. Paul will be serving as pastor in the same state district with his father, who is pastor of the local Church of the Brethren.

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DIXON VISITOR

Mrs. Eva Bowyer of Los Angeles, Cal is spending a few weeks at the home of Mrs Margaret Bauer, 1123 South Peoria avenue and also is visiting friends and relatives in this vicinity.

Mrs Bowyer was the former Eva Bauer of near Harmon. She will visit relatives in Sterling and Prophetstown before returning to her home on the west coast.

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By EPSIE KINARD
NEA Staff Writer

New York—Fugitives from summer who hope to escape the heat in simple but smart prints can do so this season because styling is played up in fabric design, played down in the design of the dress.

The matching handbag shown with the dress will give the woman who is going to be her own dressmaker an idea of what she can do with a little skill and an extra yard of printmaterial.

W. G. Humes to Attend Nuptials

Mr and Mrs. W. G. Hume 112 Crawford avenue will leave Dixon on June 1 for Pittsburgh, where they will attend the marriage of Mrs. Hume's niece, Miss Margaret Ann Frey who formerly made her home here.

Miss Frey, daughter of Mrs. Ann Frey of Chicago, will become the bride of Sgt. Thomas Vincent Sculley, Jr., in St Paul's Cathedral in Pittsburgh on June 5. Sgt. Scully has returned to the United States after serving with the armed forces for two and a half years in Greenland. He now is stationed in Georgia where he will take his future bride following their marriage.

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SHIRLEY MUNGOR, JOHN CLARK WED

Miss Shirley Mungor daughter of Mr and Mrs Ralph Mungor of Walnut, and John Edward Clark son of Mr and Mrs Archie Clark of Sublette, were united in marriage at 8 o'clock Monday evening May 21 at the parsonage of the Walnut Christian church. The single ring ceremony was read by the pastor Rev E. V. Hallock. Attendant were Mr and Mrs Kennard Franks of Deer Grove brother-in-law and sister of the groom.

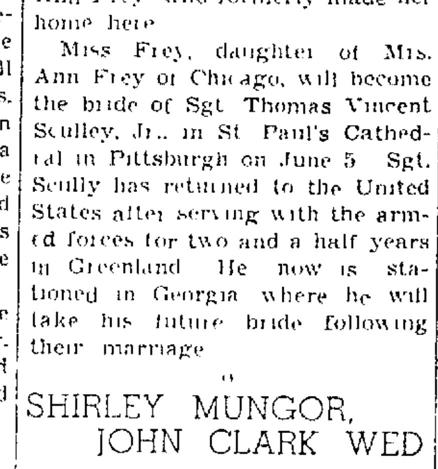
The bride wore a tan suit of tailored wool with tan accessories and a corsage of pink roses. Mrs Franks wore a street frock of gold crepe with a pink rose corsage. The couple will make their home in Sublette.

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BIRTHDAY PARTY

Miss Lorraine Kennay attended the birthday party of her schoolmate Sandra Harrolle, on Tuesday afternoon.

The Army is supplying many of its service musicians with all-plastic bugles and fifes. They have found them to be easier to keep clean cheaper and of a fuller and purer tone than metal instruments.


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Women Golfers Play Wednesday for Blind Bogey

Women golfers at Dixon Country club launched their 1945 season yesterday with perfect May weather to greet the women club members as they took over the links for the day.

Blind bogey was on the schedule for yesterday's play. Mrs Carl Buchner, Mrs Gunnar Nilsson, Mrs. Robert Brewster and Mrs. Hazel Cook tied for bogey, and Mrs. Lawrence Poole and Mrs. John Shaulis, Jr, cut for low putts.

Following the afternoon's play a meeting was held to decide on changing the starting time for play. The golfers agreed to tee-off at 2 o'clock on Wednesday afternoons instead of 1 30. Business women will begin play late in the afternoon in time to get in nine holes of golf before supper is served at the club house at 7 o'clock. Mrs. Kenneth Detweiler and Mrs Joe Miller are the May chairmen.

Seek to Avoid Strike of I. C. Ry. Enginemen

Chicago, May 24 (AP) Officials of the Illinois Central railroad and of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Firemen and Enginemen which recently served the road with a notice of intention to strike, waited today for the appointment of an emergency board to mediate the dispute.

Mediation between the union and railway officials on the question of seniority of firemen promoted to engineers already has been attempted with the strike notice being served when negotiations failed.

The Railway Mediation Board under the railway labor act of 1926, will now appoint a special emergency board.

Falls were the greatest single cause of accidental deaths in 1913.


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Dixon Methodists Engage Assistant for Dr. Blewfield

Annual Meeting of First Church Invites Pastor Return for Year

The annual meeting of the First Methodist church was held at the church on Tuesday evening following a church family supper and devotional service. Supper music was furnished by an instrumental trio composed of Richard Belcher, violin, Wayne Thomas, flute, and Miss Alice Hintz, piano.

In the absence of the district superintendent, Dr. Charles Drake Skinner, the Rev. A. J. Tavenner, pastor of the Fourth Street Methodist church of Sterling, gave the devotional address and served as president of the conference. Reports of the year's work were given by the pastor, Dr. Floyd L. Blewfield; the church school superintendent, Leon Garrison, the president of the W. S. C. S., Mrs F. G. Eno, the president of the Wesleyan society, Mrs. Helen Moeller; the lay leader and finance committee chairman, Paul Armstrong, the church treasurer, Mrs. Edwin Merrick, the benevolence treasurer, Miss Estella Anderson, the auditor, Harry Newcomer, and the secretary of the board of trustees, F N Newcomer. Substantial and encouraging gains were reported in all departments of the church.

Some of the high lights of the pastor's report are as follows: 72 new members received into the membership of the church during the year, 23 persons baptized, 27 marriages solemnized, 31 funerals conducted, increase in church school enrollment; all current bills paid in full with a reserve fund in the treasury of $1500, $1200 subscribed and $3,000 paid on the Crusade for Christ for rehabilitation work in the war-torn countries of the world, $2,739 50 paid on the Methodist Ministers' Pension Fund of the Rock River Conference, $1,683 00 paid for regular missionary work which is an increase of 10 per cent over last year.

Dr. Blewfield Invited Back

C. C Hintz chairman of the pastoral relations committee, reported that it was the unanimous request of his committee that the Bishop and cabinet of the Rock River conference reassign Dr Blewfield to the pastorate of the Dixon Methodist church for another year at the coming session of the annual conference which is to be held in the Chicago Temple beginning June 20th.

Worker to Be Employed

It was also voted upon recommendation of this committee that Merle Hall a young man who will be a student at Garrett Biblical Institute this next year be employed as part time assistant to the pastor in the field of young people's work and Christian education. This is one of the contributions that this church plans to make in behalf of the youth of Dixon. This young man has a background of experience which will make him very valuable in this field of work. For sometime during this present war he served as ambulance driver in Africa and Italy.

New Officers Elected

New officers recently elected to fill the places of those whose terms expire on June 30th were confirmed as follows: trustees for three years O. W. Dodd, H C Warner, Robert Warner; stewards for three years, Sam Blunling, Ralph A. Clark, C. F. Johnston, Mrs. Henry Leydig, Mrs. Delores Redebaugh, B. S. Schildberg, H J. Schumacher, Jay W. Sipe Paul Sodergren, Mrs. Crawford Thomas, Randall Warfel, and Mrs. W E. Whitson; church school superintendent, Leon Garrison; members of the nominating committee: J. W Cortright, L. G. Meppin and C. C. Hintz.

November 14 1910 marked the birth of the carrier fighter plane for on that day Eugene Ely became the first naval aviator when he took off from a flight deck built on the U S S Birmingham that was only 83 feet long and 24 feet wide.

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School Girl Walks Ledge 20 Feet Above Ground After Scrap

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—Firemen and policemen tried unsuccessfully for 30 minutes last night to coax a 15-year-old school girl to halt her stroll along a blockk long, six inch wide ledge at the second level of the apartment building where she lives.

Scores of neighbors watched as the girl Charlotte Lawler outmaneuvered firemen in their efforts to take her down from the ledge 20 feet above ground. She ignored police, and firemen who unrigged a life net failed in their pleas for her to jump.

Firemen finally pushed ladders up to each end of the ledge in an effort to close in on the girl, but she remained in the center and they couldn't reach her. But when a neighbor opened a second story apartment window and invited her in, Charlotte accepted.

Her step-father, John Lawler, told police Charlotte went out on the ledge after a quarrel over school studies. Policeman Daniel Cotter said she told him she "just wanted to scare my stepfather."

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CHICAGO:
WHEAT—Mixed. Light trade mill, commission house buying, better crop whether.
CORN—Firm Strong cash markets.
RYE—Steady Quiet trade
HOGS—Active and fully steady. Top, $11.75
CATTLE—Very active. Top $17.50.

Chicago Grain Table

	Open	High	High	Close
WHEAT—				
July ...	1.65¾	1.64	1.63¼	1.6[illegible]
Sept. ...	1.60⅝	1.60⅞	1.59½	1.59¼
Dec. ...	1.59¾	1.60	1.58¾	1.58½
CORN—				
July ..	1.17	1.17⅞	1.17	1.17½
Sept. ..	1.15⅝	1.16½	1.15⅝	1.15¾
Dec ..	1.12¼	1.13¼	1.12¼	1.12½
OATS—				
July ..	61⅝	62	60½	60¾
Sept. ..	59½	59⅞	59	59⅝
Dec. .	59⅝	60	59½	59½
RYE—				
July .	1.36¼	1.36⅞	1.35⅝	1.36¼
Sept ..	1.26⅝	1.27⅛	1.25⅝	1.26½
Dec	1.25¼	1.25⅞	1.24⅝	1.25¼
BARLEY—				
July ..	1.03	1.05½	1.02	1.02⅛
Sept. ..	1.0[illegible]	1.06	1.03	1.03
Dec. ..	1.04¼	1.06	1.04⅛	1.04¼

Chicago Livestock

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—(WFA)—Salable hogs 4,000 total 8,000 active fully steady; good and choice barrows and gilts at 140 lb. up at $14.75 ceiling; good and choice sows at $14.00; complete clearance

Salable cattle 3,500 total 3,800, salable calves 600, total 600; fed steers and yearlings 15 to 25 cents higher very active trade; fed heifers strong top steers $17.50; bulk $15.50@17.25, heifers, $17.25, bulk $14.50@16.50; strictly good beef cows and other grade cows steady to strong; vealers firm at $16.50 down, practical outside weighty sausage bulls $12.75; odd head $14.00, heavy beef bulls to $14.75; cutter cows, $9.00 down

Salable sheep 4,000; total 9,000; moderately active mostly steady 2 loads just good colorado fed wooded lambs $16.00 1 load held higher, good and choice 102-lb. shorn lambs $15.50 good and choice fed clipped lambs No 1 pelts $15.00@15.25 load cull and common shorn Texas lambs including a few yearlings with No 2 and No. 3 pelts $10.40 straight; shorn native ewes $6.25@8.25.

Officially estimated salable receipts tomorrow: 4,000 hogs, 1,000 cattle, and 2,500 sheep.

Chicago Produce

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—(WFA)—Potatoes: arrivals 49, on track 89, total U. S. shipments 1100

New stocks: Offerings very light, demand very good, market firm at ceiling, truck sales local: Louisiana 100-lb sacks of Bliss Triumphs U. S No. 1, $1.30; California long whites U. S No. 1, $4.19@4.50, commercial $4.21@4.31; Alabama 100 lb. sacks of Bliss Triumphs U. S. No. 1, $1.29@4.52 Futures: Nov. $3.05 nom

Onion futures: Nov. $1.56

Butter firm; receipts, 611,227; market unchanged

Eggs—Receipts, 14,035; firm; market unchanged. Futures: Oct 45.00c.

Live poultry, firm; receipts, 8 trucks, no cars; FOB prices; market unchanged.

Chicago Cash Grain

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—Cash wheat: 2 red hard $1.74⅛ ceiling

Corn—No. 2 white, $1.27

No oat sales

Barley, nominal: Malting $1.10@1.39½; feed, 80@$1.01.

Field seed per hundredweight, nominal; timothy, $6.00@6.25, red top $15.00@16.00, red clover $31.50, sweet clover, $10.50; alsike, $28.50.

Wall Street Close

Al Chem & Dye 158, Allis Ch 47¼, Am Can 95¼, Am Locomotive 32¼, Am Smelt & R 15¾, Am Tel & Tel 167⅞, Am Tob B 75½, Atch T & S F 92⅞, Bendix Aviat 50¼, Beth Steel 76⅞, Borden Co 38¾, Borg Warner 42¼, Case J I Co 41⅝, Caterpil Tractor 55¼, Container Corp 28¼, Corn Products 66⅝, Curtiss Wright 6, Douglas Aircraft 50¼, Du Pont de N 167¼, Gen Elec 43¼, Gen Foods 44⅞, Gen Motors 67⅞, Goodrich BF 58, Goodyear T & R 53⅞, Illinois Central 30⅝, Int Harvester 85¼, Johns Manville 119½, Kennecott Cop 38¼, Lib O F Glass 59¼, Liggett & My B 90¼, Marshall Field 23⅞, Montgom Ward 61, Nat Biscuit 25⅝, Nat Dairy Prod 32¼, N Y Central R R 26⅞, Northern Pacific 30½, Penney (J C) 115¼, Sears Roebuck 112⅞, Shell Union Oil 27¼, Stand Oil Ind 36¼, Stand Oil N J 62½, Swift & Co 35⅛, U S Rubber 57¼, U S Steel 65¼.

Walton News

The Marion unit of the Home Bureau held a meeting on last Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Walter Levan. Miss Barbara M. Herlin gave the major lesson—"Short Cuts in Food Preparation." Miss Herlin is the new home advisor. Mrs. Lillian Russell gave the minor lesson—"Chile." Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the meeting. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Will Fitzpatrick on June 20.

Mr. and Mrs. P. H. Dunphy were recent callers at the home of James Dunphy in Harmon. James Dunphy has been ill but is much better at this writing. James Dunphy is a brother of P. H. Dunphy.

Miss Irene Rock of Harmon spent the weekend at the C. C. Ackert home.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Bowman of Aurora spent the weekend at the Peter McCoy home. They also visited at the John McCoy, Sr., home in Amboy.

Miss Cecelia Blackburn was a caller last Tuesday at the home of Anna J. McCoy.

P. H. Dunphy and son, Charles Dunphy, and son, Larry Joe, and daughter, Charlene, and Anna J. McCoy were callers in Dixon Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. William Oester had as guests on Mothers' Day Mr. and Mrs. James Sheridan and family of Maytown, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Friel and family of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. John Murray of Winnebago, and Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ackert of Dixon

Mrs. Charles Full of Lamoille spent the past week with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Daum. Cletus Full spent the weekend at the William Oester home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dunphy spent Sunday in West Brooklyn as dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Laurence Montavon.

Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Brechon were shoppers in Dixon Tuesday.

Robert O'Bryant of Dixon was a caller in Walton Sunday.

Mrs. J. J. Morrissey and son John Francis, and Miss Catherine Morrissey were callers Saturday at the Louis Shannon home in Amboy.

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Friel of Maytown were callers in Walton Sunday.

Mrs. P. H. Dunphy was a caller Tuesday night at the Leo Drew home.

Terse News

Licensed Here to Marry—

A marriage license has been issued by County Clerk Sterling Schrock to Frederick M. Moerl, Jr., of Chippewa Falls, Wis., and Miss Ruby M. Bartles of Louisville, Ill.

Meeting Is Postponed—

A meeting of the executive committee of the Dixon Coordinating Council called for Monday evening has been postponed until Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock at the home of George Lindquist.

Ketchin Quits Board—

Henry Ketchin, who has been a member of the Lee county board of review, today filed his resignation from that body, due to ill health. Judge Grover Gehant appointed Tim Sullivan of this city to fill the unexpired term of one year.

Make Plans for Flag Day—

Major J. M. Brady, chairman of the Elks Flag Day committee has called a meeting of the group this evening at 8 o'clock at the club house, to outline plans for the annual observance to be held Thursday evening June 14 at Haymarket square.

Bad News for Canines—

All dogs running loose in Sterling will be shot by police after May 28, Mayor Ronald Shawger announced. The announcement followed requests for enforcement of a city ordinance requiring that dogs be confined the year around.

Back from Pacific War—

Mr. and Mrs Harry Reese today received a telegram from their son, S/Sgt. John C. Reese, in which he stated that he had landed in San Francisco after 30 months service in the Pacific theater of war, and will be home soon.

Parents of Daughter—

Announcement has been received from Greensboro, N. C., of the birth of a daughter to Capt. and Mrs. Samuel Maurice Swartz on April 24. The baby has been named Mary Lucinda. Capt. Swartz formerly resided in Dixon and was manager of the Kline department store. He is now in the armed service and is stationed at Boston, Mass.

Divorce Decree Granted—

Mrs. Mary Holtzhatter of this city was granted a decree for divorce from Lloyd Holtzhatter by Judge George C. Dixon in Lee county Circuit court yesterday afternoon. The couple were married in Geneva, Ill., Aug. 18, 1938 and in the complaint she charged her husband with desertion. She was awarded the custody of two minor children.

Diesel Freight Engines—

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—Two diesel-electric freight locomotives of 5,400 horsepower, first of their kind to be used on the line, will go into immediate operation on the Chicago & NorthWestern Railway between Chicago and Council Bluffs, Iowa, officials of the road announced.

Lacey Case Continued—

Freeport, Ill., May 24—(AP) U. S. Commissioner Edward J. Sullivan has continued until May 31 the hearing of William Lacey, 56, Savanna railroad switchman charged with sending threatening letters through the mails to Mrs Barney Stoddard of Savanna. Her husband is serving in the army overseas.

Released from County Jail—

Mrs. Lorraine Healy of this city who was arrested Saturday night by Sheriff L. E. Bates, who was called to a residence north of the city limits, has been released on bond from the Lee county jail. A daughter, Mrs. Bernice Wilkerson, was reported to have made the complaint before Justice J. O. Shaulis in which she charged her mother with being intoxicated and disorderly.

Dies Suddenly in West—

Mrs. Henry Wuerth of Berkeley, Calif., former Dixon resident, died suddenly at her home Wednesday, relatives here learned last night. She is survived by her husband and four daughters, Jane Ruth and Emma of Berkley; and Mrs. Harry Smith of Salinas, Ca. She is an aunt of Carl A. Buchner, Sr., of Dixon.

Legionnaires Needed—

Because most of the members of Dixon post No. 12, American Legion, are employed in war work, Legionnaires who will not be employed Saturday are asked to help in the annual poppy sale. Those in charge of the sale ask volunteers to report at Legion hall at 7:00 o'clock Saturday morning.

On Day's Casualty Lists—

Corp. Curtis E. Anderson son of Mrs. Bertha I Anderson of Clark street, Amboy, is listed as having been killed in action, the War department announced today Pvt Daniel L. Springer husband of Mrs. Ina M H Springer of Amboy, was listed among the wounded in the European theatre of operations. Second Lieut. Austin H. Herrity, husband of Mrs. Mary J. Herrity of route 2, Harmon, was officially reported among a list of liberated prisoners of war in Germany.

Probes Reported Robbery—

Sheriff L. E. Bates was summoned to Ashton yesterday afternoon where it was reported that a house had been broken into and ransacked and about eight dollars in money taken. The house is occupied by several Jamaicans who are engaged in harvesting the asparagus crop in the vicinity of Ashton and is located about a half mile southeast of the village. In the investigation Sheriff Bates questioned some young boys who admitted having broken into the house, but they denied having obtained any money or articles of value.

Gen. Hodges in Atlanta—

Atlanta, May 24—(AP)—General Courtney H. Hodges of the American First Army and 46 other overseas veterans landed at the Army Air Base here at 1:05 p. m. Central War Time, today from New York. The general who led his troops across the Rhine to seal the doom of Germany returned to his native state to be honored at a civic celebration. Scores of Army bombers and fighters roared overhead as the general arrived at the air base.

Far-Reaching So-

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back on a 10-year plan, with an appropriation of $950,000,000, to help states build and improve hospitals and health centers, especially in rural areas. An additional $5,000,000 would be provided to help the state make the necessary surveys.

For Permanent USES

4—The U. S. Employment Service would be established permanently. After the war it would take over the War Manpower Commission and other related services within the Social Security Board setup.

5—Social security coverage would be extended to an additional 15,000,000 persons, including farm workers, domestics, those in non-profit institutions and the independent farmer, professional person and small businessman.

6 Increases are provided for unemployment compensation and old age benefits; the jobless insurance would be nationalized, rather than operate on a state by state basis.

Wagner said labor organizations endorsed the bill.

He emphasized that the health insurance plan would allow the individual to choose his own physician and hospital; would permit the physician and hospital to pick their own patients, too.

Says It's Not Socialized

"It is not socialized medicine," he insisted.

The senator said full employment, if it is achieved after the war, the aged, the sick and disabled."

The medical care insurance would provide for hospital service up to 60 days a year, with the insured person's family included in the benefits.

For illness or disability, a person would get the same payments as if unemployed, and these would be revised.

Duration of employment benefits would be extended from the present maximum of 26 weeks to a year if available funds permitted. The weekly scale would be from $5 to $20 for single persons, with a maximum of $.0 based on the number of dependents. Most existing state laws have a maximum between $15 and $20

Women workers would be allowed 13 weeks maternity leave with the same scale of benefits.

Old Age Assistance

Changes in the old age assistance phase would provide monthly cash benefits where the worker is totally disabled for six months or more before reaching retirement age. The minimum monthly sum is increased from $10 to $20 for a single person, and $30 for a worker with a dependent wife aged 60 or over. The maximum would be $120 a month. The bill also lowers from 65 to 60 the retirement age for women and for receiving widow's benefits

Those in the armed forces would be granted a wage credit for $160 a month thus having this social security credit during their tours from Army or Navy pay.

Wagner said the program would pay "enormous dividends" in public health. The aid to states and the health insurance plan, he contended would provide medical care for the low-income family and strike "at an important cause of the shockingly high rate of objections" experienced by draft boards

"Health insurance does not involve regimentation of doctors or patients", he declared "It is simply a method of assuring a person ready access to the medical care that he or she needs by eliminating the financial barrier between the patient and the doctor or hospital"

Wagner said the legislation isn't the "final solution" of social problems, but simply "a desirable step that can be put into operation now".

PERSONALS

Circuit Judge George C Dixon went to Mt. Carroll today where he is presiding in the Carroll county Circuit court

Joe Miller of the Boynton Richards Co is in New York City on business for several days.

Lee Kai of Chicago has joined the Dixon state hospital staff as x-ray technician

Mrs John Earl of Staten Island N. Y. is visiting her parents, Attorney and Mrs. E. E. Wingert.

Attorney Edward Jones transacted business in Rockford yesterday.

Judge Grover W. Gehant presided in the Ogle county court at Oregon yesterday afternoon.

Supreme Court of State Stands Pat on Housing Edict

Springfield, Ill., May 24—(AP)—The state Supreme court says it won't budge from its 1939 stand that Illinois tax exemption of public housing projects is valid. And it won't say whether it's wise from an economic standpoint.

The court reaffirmed its six-year-old view on legality of the 1931 and 1939 exemption laws in an opinion on file today. It denied contentions by Sangamon county officials that the Springfield Housing Authority should pay taxes on a low rent dwelling unit it operates.

Refusing to take part in the current legislative controversy over pending bills to repeal the exemption laws, the tribunal said arguments on the wisdom of such acts "must be addressed to the general assembly and not to the courts".

"How the court feels about social and economic philosophies is wholly immaterial", it added.

Ruling again that federal aid housing projects are operated as a public charity and for governmental purposes, the Supreme court declined to upset its 1939 holding that they therefore are tax-exempt.

Truck Drivers in

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loss of retroactive pay should the War Labor Board eventually rule in favor of the workers.

To Seek Settlement

Fenner said the situation at Keeshin had been called to the attention of the Army and the Office of Defense Transportation and that both had promised to attempt a quick settlement to the dispute.

Keeshin officials said the striking drivers had set up a picket line at the company's headquarters.

The union's action, officials said, followed assurances from the War Labor Board that a public hearing on the union's demands on wages and hours would be granted following the return of strikers to work.

Edward Fenner, executive director of the striking union, said, "We are sure we are going to get what we struck for. We consider this a victory for the union".

The walkout began a week ago in protest of a WLB decision on wages and hours and daily its effects became more serious, crippling many businesses and resulting in the spoilage of food valued at thousands of dollars. Troops were brought in from Custer, Mich., and today they remained encamped on the shores of Lake Michigan near Chicago's loop.

Longenecker In Charge

Ellis T Lonenecker, federal manager of truck lines seized last Aug. 11 in Minneapolis, was named to supervise the seizure of the lines.

Truman's order came after the union had appealed to him to join in the strikers' behalf to have the WLB reconsider its demands. Raymond F. Hayes, the union's attorney, had told the president seizure of the trucking lines "would be illegal" and would be "contested legally"

Officials of the independent's chief rival, the AFL International Brotherhood of Teamsters, which did not strike, said the hearing granted the striking union by the WLB would be on a petition filed by the local AFL affiliate. They said the independent union had not filed a petition for a rehearing

Demands of the union are for wages of $12 to $6.50 for a 48-hour week as against the current $12 to $15.50 for 51 hours. The WLB had granted wage increases of eight cents an hour or $1.08 a week for a 51hour week, but a strike was called in protest.

Wars in

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creasing pressure on eastern flank

77th Infantry—Fought to capture hill line guarding fortress Shuri.

96th Infantry Threw back fierce counterattacks in Yonabaru area

Philippines

31st, 40th and Americal—Near junction central Mindanao in drive to bisect island

24th Infantry—Captured hill 550 in drive up coast from Davao, northern Luzon,

25th Infantry—Gained in drive against Santa Fe at mouth of Cagayan valley, north central Luzon

38th Infantry—Established line along Marikina-Boboso rivers in drive across Japanese positions in Manila watershed

43rd Infantry Mopping up encircled foe at Ipo dam

THREE TONS TO ONE

One reason for continued gas rationing is the fact that a bomber's engines burn about three tons of high-octane gasoline to deliver one ton of bombs on an ordinary bomb run.

It has been found that tomato culture under glass produces 10 times the average field crop or about 10,000 plants to the acre.

Molotov's Standin



Andrei Gromyko, above, Russian ambassador to the U. S., is now chairman of the Soviet delegation to the United Nations Conference at San Francisco, following Foreign Commissar Molotov's return home.

9,000,000 Lbs. of

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two hours, also took in Kawasaki and Yokohama south of Tokyo and that some fires still were burning four hours after the attack began.

The 4,500 tons of incendiaries dropped equalled the weight of two 1,000-plane raids on Berlin from English bases by Flying Fortress or Liberators.

A bomber command spokesman said the target area, provided "one of the happiest combinations of inflammability and congestion."

The area extends from the Tama river on the south to a boundary about three miles south of the imperial palace.

Tokyo radio said "many fires broke out among civilian dwellings in the areas attacked."

In Tokyo small dwellings serve as small factories and subsidiary assembly plants.

Today's fiery onslaught extended the destruction which in five previous incendiary strikes burned out 32.8 square miles of Tokyo.

The Shinagawa sector is second only to Nippon's principal aircraft center at much-bombed Nagoya in its numbers of small producers of precision instruments and aircraft parts.

TURN JAPS' OKINAWA LINE

Guam, May 24 (AP)—Leathernecks and Doughboys of the 10th Army held the Japanese key fortress of Shuri in a giant cupshaped pincers today as they turned both ends of the Okinawa battle line.

Fierce close-in fighting raged across the entire front as the Yanks increased their pressure, entering Naha on the western flank and expanding gains made at the Yonabaru breakthrough on the east.

In the center the battle continued unabated as the 77th (Statue of Liberty) Division pressed forward toward the hill line overlooking Shuri. There a unit assaulting the hills was caught in a murderous cross fire from Japanese cave positions and pinned down

Just to the left of the 77th a battalion of the 96th threw back a fierce Japanese counterattack which penetrated American lines more than a third of a mile before it was stopped with a loss of between 150 and 200 Japanese.

Seventh Division troops expanded their corridor below Yonabaru, increasing the pressure against Shuri on the left and at the same time heightening the threat of complete isolation for Jap garrisons in the hills of Chinen peninsula commanding Nakagusuku Bay, former Japanese fleet anchorage.

The east-west supply lines to the Chinen forces already have been cut.

With mechanized equipment mired in the rear, gains were made on a foot-slogging, slug-it-out basis but patrols reaching high ground west of Yonabaru reported good tank country beyond

Patrols of the Sixth Division's Fourth Marine regiment spearheaded the drive into Naha, rubble strewn Okinawa capital, yesterday, wading the muddy, silt-filled Asato river in a surprise, predawn strike from the northeast.

The initial drive carried as deep as 800 yards into the city, but the tough former Marine Raiders and paratroopers who make up the Fourth expect fierce house-to-house fighting as they move through the bombardment-smashed city

With Naha entered in force, both of Okinawa's main cities and terminals of the Naha-Shuri-Yonabaru defense line have been penetrated, Yonabaru on the east, with it's nearby airstrip, fell to the 96th Infantry Division Tuesday while the 7th made a quick encircling movement by nightfall isolating it from possible Japanese reinforcement

In support of the sludgy ground action escort carrier planes hit the potential staging air bases in the Sakishima group, southern Ryukyus, Tuesday and Wednesday.

Okinawa-based search planes ranged off Tokyo harbor, sinking three small craft.

Two small groups of enemy aircraft attacked American forces in and around Okinawa Tuesday evening, but inflicted no damage.

SCOUTING NEWS

Members of Boy Scout troop 88 held their regular weekly meeting Tuesday evening at 7:30 at the Lincoln school. Neighborhood Commissioner Fred Padgett visited the troop and presented a check of $30 from the Lincoln school P.-T. A., sponsoring organization, to Scoutmaster Lloyd Black. Following a short business session the boys spent the remainder of the evening in outdoor activity. Members present were as follows: Robert Clark, Wilson Higgins, Dick Dusing, Bob Egler, Howard Caton, Bobbie Bruce, Edmond Ashford, Robert Smith, Richard Helms, Bert Beach, Ernect Brink, Lilburn McCardle, Jr., E. Carlson, Richard Allen Jenkins, Richard McCann and Bill Dillow. The meeting adjourned by all repeating the Scoutmaster's benediction.

Members of Boy Scout troop, No. 88 have announced a public acceptance of the sum of money given by the Lincoln school P.-T. A. and extend their appreciation to the donors.

A gigantic outdoor circus will be presented by Cub Scouts of Pack 311 on the evening of June 6th at the Dixon high school athletic field. A parade of Cubs in costumes, stunts, games, concessions, baseball, battle games, dart games, archery, pony rides and many other amusements will be open to the public. This is strictly a Cub and youth project and there will be no general admission. A real honest-to-goodness puppy dog will be presented to some boy or girl at the close of the program.

West Given Added

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71, as the last member of the original Roosevelt cabinet of 1933. Other holdovers in addition to Morgenthau, 54, and Stettinius, 45, are War Secretary Stimson, 77; Navy Secretary Forrestal, 53, and Commerce Secretary Wallace, 57.

Effective June 30

All the new appointments, subject to senate confirmation, are effective June 30 next, except that of Anderson, who will succeed to the agriculture post when Wickard is confirmed as REA chief.

Future plans of Biddle and Miss Perkins were not known today.

Friends of the attorney general, however, said he probably would resume the practice of law if he does not accept a diplomatic post.

There have been reports of a rift between Truman and Biddle over appointments, although the president in accepting the resignation said:

"I shall always look back with pleasure upon my association with you while I was in the senate as well as during the past months."

Miss Perkins in her letter said the program of labor and social legislation "is now secure."

Truman replied that during her long administration "unsurpassed progress in position, influence and prestige has been made by American organized labor."

Schwellenbach New Dealer

Schwellenbach, who takes her place, was a strong new deal supporter while in the senate, which he left in 1940 to become district judge for the Eastern District of Washington. A firm advocate of the Wagner labor relations act, he once said industrial strife would cease if capital and labor would "freely use the machinery now provided" by that law.

He was born at Superior, Wis., Sept. 20, 1894, and was graduated from the University of Washington. He served as a private in the 12th infantry in the first World War.

Wickard, who said Truman should be "absolutely free" to pick his own cabinet, resigned after more than four years in agriculture.

The president thanked him for his "patriotic and devoted" service and for his consenting to remain in the government in a less important assignment.

"As problems arise in the field of agriculture," he told Wickard, "I expect to call upon you for advice and assistance."

Anderson, Wickard's successor, is now serving his third term in the house. He was born in Centerville, S. Dak., Oct 23, 1895, and is a former state treasurer of New Mexico.

Cemetery Code is Urged and Attacked

Springfield, Ill., May 24—(AP)—Attorney General George F Barrett says there is an "urgent need" for legislative enactment of a proposed cemetery code, but U. S. District Attorney Howard L. Doyle of Springfield contends its provisions are unconstitutional.

Both men testified at a house public hearing yesterday on a series of four bills to govern ownership, operation and regulation of many cemeteries in Illinois The bills may be voted on next week

Barrett said his office has been "deluged with complaints from cemetery lot owners in the past few years

"In order that the public may be protected against abandonment and neglect of cemeteries, it is essential that perpetual care funds to be subject to supervision". Barrett added.

Doyle, who represented some cemetery operators, said the legislation "places the attorney general squarely in the cemetery business" and attempts to delegate to Barrett unconstitutional powers.

The War Today

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Therefore it's vital that Germany be given back her religion, and this is the burden of the letters. By coincidence I ran across some pertinent comment among notes I made in 1942 on a conversation with the late Dr. William Temple, archbishop of Canterbury, in London. His Grace branded Hitler as anti-Christ and told me this story:

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"I understand that when Hitler came to power he called in members of the churches for a conference. He told them that he did not want any trouble with them but that he regarded Christianity as a dying thing. He added: 'You go on, but don't interfere with me and I won't interfere with you.'

"Later he encountered opposition of which Rev. Martin Niemoeller is an outstanding example. Then the internment camps were filled with Christians. Hitler is out to destroy Christianity."

Well, Hitler did destroy Christianity in the minds of a host of German youth. But he couldn't shake the faith of people like Niemoeller, and it's only a couple of days ago that we heard from this famous Lutheran pastor through Bishop G. Bromley Oxnam, president of the Federal Council of the Churches of Christ in America, who met the German in Rome where the latter has been living since liberation after years of nazi imprisonment.

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The bishop said Niemoeller saw little possibility of successful collaboration with Germany as a nation until after a "long period of controlled education." Because of the indoctrination of nazism among Germans between the ages of 22 and 30, the pastor thought the United States should direct its re-education efforts at Germans under 22. Niemoeller's name naturally is on many tongues once more, and a letter I've received from a reader of this column asks:

"Is there any other German leadership we could trust more than that of men like Niemoeller?"

The answer clearly is that it's t ostalwarts like Niemoeller to whom we must look for help in the monumental task of remoulding the character of the German nation.

50 Per Cent More

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of six and will be good for three months as at present.

The new adjustment of allotments marks the first time since the start of gasoline rationing in 1942 that the entire country has been on an equal footing in both "A" and potential "B" grants.

Deputy PAW Administrator Ralph K. Davies injected a note of caution, however, that the more liberal rations could be temporary. He said:

"The additional quantities to be made available to the civilian are not guaranteed for any certain period of time, but must always remain dependent on changes in the military demand".

Lasting Authority

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necessary adjustments in the organization of the executive branch will expire after the war. With its expiration, "every step" taken under one section of the act will automatically revert to the status existing before the 1941 act.

Automatic Reversion Bad

Automatic reversion, he said, will result in the reestablishment of some agencies that should not be re-established, and added:

"Some adjustments of a permanent character need to be made, as exemplified by the current proposal before the congress with respect to the subsidiary corporations of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Some improvements heretofore made in the government under the first war powers act, as exemplified by the reorganization of the Army under [illegible] executive order [illegible] should not be allowed to revert automatically or at an inopportune time."

The White House said that the president took steps during 1939 and 1940 setting up the Federal Security Agency, the Federal Works Agency, the Federal Loan Agency and centered agricultural credit functions in the department of agriculture and established the fiscal service of the treasury department.

Truman asked similar authority to group, coordinate, consolidate, and abolish agencies and eliminate overlapping and duplication.

FALL FATAL TO BABY

Atlanta Ill., May 24—(AP)—Buddy Eugene Sullivan, eight-months-old son of Mr and Mrs. Raymond Sullivan of Atlanta was found dead yesterday apparently killed in a fall from a bed on which he had been sleeping.

Before the Revolutionary War, there were 225,000 Germans in America, settled mainly on the frontier.

Poppy Purchase Is One Way of Paying Tribute to Heroes

Once again on Poppy Day, Saturday, the members of the American Legion and Auxiliary will dedicate their best efforts to the distribution of memorial poppies to the citizens of Dixon, E. N. Bower, the poppy chairman announced today. It is one of the ways in which they pay tribute to and keep faith with those who died in the nation's service, saying as they fell:

"Take up our quarrel with the foe,
To you from failing hands we throw
The Torch—be yours to hold it high."

The wearing of the poppy has become a silent pledge, renewed each year, that the people of America have not forgotten the responsibility they have been given by their fighting men of both wars." Bowers said. "Many of these men have given their lives or their health for us, and it is with deep gratitude to them that we set aside a day on which to honor them and assure them that we remember our promise".

On Poppy Day the women of the Auxiliary and members of the Legion will offer poppies to everyone in Dixon. There is no fixed price for a poppy—whatever is given is welcome. The little boy's pennies and the business man's dollar are equally acceptable. It is hoped that every citizen will be wearing the crimson badge by nightfall of May 26th.

Every cent that is given for a poppy goes toward the rehabilitation of disabled fighting men and to the aid of children of the dead and disabled. These victims of war's disaster will be glad to see the poppies blooming on lapels again this year.

Obituaries

Local—

WILLIAM H. PETERSON

William Herman Peterson, son of Frederick and Mary Peterson, was born at Appleton, Wis., March 13, 1867 and passed away at Dixon, Ill., May 21, 1945 at the age of 78 years. He received his early education at Appleton and was graduated from the University of Wisconsin with the class of 1889. He entered immediately upon a railroading career which eventually took him to the position of chief engineer of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific railroad, an office which he held at the time of his retirement in 1937. On June 28, 1899 he was united in marriage with Mary Elsie Tilton of Detroit, Kas. He is survived by his widow of Dixon, one son, William T. Peterson of Cheyenne, Wyo., two daughters, Mrs. Willard Beanblossom of Dixon, and Mrs. John R. Holland of Milton, Iowa, and six grandchildren, also three sisters: Miss Mary Peterson of Appleton, Wis., Miss Pauline Peterson of Milwaukee, Wis., and Mrs. Fred Zahler of Coachilla, Cal Burial was at Oakwood cemetery, Dixon.

Funerals

Suburban—

MRS. MARY HUNTLEY

Rochelle, May 24 Services for Mrs. Mary Huntley, 71, who died Tuesday at St. Joseph's hospital, Aurora, will be held at 2:30 Friday at the Methodist church here. The Rev. C. A. Hull, pastor, will officiate and burial will be in Flagg Center. Friends may call at the Huntley home, 921 Lincoln avenue, Thursday.

Mrs Huntley who was the widow of Reuben Huntley, had been a patient at the hospital for three weeks. Surviving are two daughters, Mrs. Charles McClure, Aurora, and Mrs. George Bontjes, Rockford; a step-son, Wallace Huntley, DeKalb; a step-daughter, Mrs. Fern Ensminger, Sterling; 11 grandchildren and four great-grandchildren

The Black Forest in Germany, famous locale of many supernatural and weird folk stories and fairy tales was named for the preponderance of fir and pine trees which give the ranges a dark hue

A new rubber made from sand, incorporating the use of silicon, the main component of sand and glass, is being used for specialized military purposes and may be used for automobile tires after the war.

The Aborigines, a mythical people of central Italy, supposedly descended from an ancient town upon Latium.

CAN'T KEEP GRANDMA IN HER CHAIR

She's as Lively as a Youngster—Now her Backache is better

Many sufferers [illegible] backache [illegible]

[illegible] Doan's Pills.

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Bowling Bits

By "FRIDAY"

In the mixed singles at the Recreation last night, Hank Chamness came in first. nine pins ahead of his nearest opponents, with 671, rolling a natural 617 series, with a 54 pin handicap; Rur Byers took second with 662; Lillian Ventler and Charlie Lloyd tied for third and fourth with 638; George Weigle fifth, 632; Art Korsan, sixth, 628; Eldon Myers, seventh, 623; Jim Burke, eighth, 621; Dale Weidman, ninth, 607; J. Tusha, tenth, 604, and Lois Rosbrook and L. Mons tied for eleventh and twelfth with 603. The girls, who usually hold their own in these events were not up to par last night with only three, L. Mons, Lois Rosbrook and Lillian Ventler, being able to roll into the prize list. Lillian Ventler had the most actual pins for the girls with 542, and Hank Chamness, actual 617 series led the men's scores. High games were L. Ventler, 225; C. Lloyd 215; H. Chamness, 241; A. Korsan, 202. The scores were:

MIXED SINGLES

Bowler	Hc.	1	2	3	Tot.
H. Chamness	51	188	188	241	671
R. Byers	87	196	191	188	662
L. Ventler	96	162	225	155	638
C. Lloyd	129	146	148	215	638
G. Weigle	81	191	197	160	632
A. Korsan	102	202	139	185	628
E. Myers	54	186	189	194	623
J. Burke	123	149	191	158	621
D. Weidman	72	188	158	189	607
J. Tusha	90	188	173	153	604
L. Rosbrook	132	169	152	150	603
L. Mons	120	179	159	145	603
D. Duffy	108	113	161	132	514
E. Worton	87	141	193	148	569
M. Wyckoff	90	144	140	121	495
V. Kelchner	84	114	156	176	530
D. Hey	69	145	139	131	475
H. Schertner	66	125	190	135	516
C. Weidman	36	183	167	157	543
B. Ferger	138	159	107	104	508
N. Atkinson	156	104	156	165	581
E. Ventler	108	170	167	156	601
B. Hargrave	174	135	128	113	550
B. Lieving	78	151	168	170	567
W. Dunbar	120	166	162	140	588
O. Sindlinger	126	135	126	115	502
S. Kleinbart	105	130	144	144	523
W. Keenan	99	170	159	150	578
R. Burrs	92	166	151	180	590
F. Keane	102	137	131	134	504
R. Krug	120	125	124	124	493
L. Nelson	60	163	186	153	572
J. Hartzell	90	118	138	168	514
E. Swan	120	133	163	140	556
Webb	150	130	96	106	482
P. Detweiler	69	151	138	170	528
L. Wickey	141	140	120	123	524
V. Strub	96	120	113	139	468
M. Woodyatt	117	133	129	121	500
H. Cook	69	178	153	197	597
J. Sweeney	75	142	189	175	581
N. Germanson	114	171	171	142	598
D. Kelly	87	191	158	146	582

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In the Lincoln Lanes Mixed league Worrells held onto their one-game lead, ending up with 16 wins and five losses, after winning two from Boveys. Lyle Melvin was high for Worrells with 524 and Mae Howard led Boveys with 527.

Volks won two from Prindavilles, to remain in second with 15 wins and six losses. Cliff Volk's 543 led his five and Charlie Burke was high for Prindaville with 503.

Hoyles ended in third with 13-8 after taking a three-game forfeit from Llincoln Lanes, with O. Hoyle leading his squad with 533.

Remmers ended in a tie for fifth with Prindavilles at 12-13, after winning three from Pattersons. C. Emmert was high for Remmers with 505 and Rasmussen topped Patterson's with 397.

National Tea was the other two-game winner over the Bootmakers with Ruth Ambrose topping the grocers with 426 and Rollie Ommen's 471 high for the Bootmakers.

Cliff Volk had the high series of the night with 543 and high games were Melvin 219, O. Hoyle 225 and L. Hoyle 206.

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Bill Ferger started in the singles last night with a nice 159 and then must have let his daughter, Dorothy roll the next two games, which were 107 and 104 . . . Ray Krug was the consistent bowler last night, with 125-124-124, which made his 493, runner up for the low men's total, turned in by Dean Hey with 475 . . . When we took a beating in the doubles last week while rolling with Lorraine Paulsen, it seems everyone was very much interested in our scores which they claim were missing. So to ease their minds we'll print them this time, for sure:

LORRAINE PAULSEN—

151 155 130 436

"FRIDAY" SHULTZ—

121 180 130 431

We'll also give three noteworthy scores from last night's bowling, Bob Harmon, 368; George Clayton, 387, and "Patt" Patterson, 380, the latter series including an 89 game . . . We only remember one time that Willard "Bottoms" Jones, took the stance while bowling that made him so famous in his basketball and football days . . . Tonight at the Recreation the Summer Mixed League goes into its second round of the week with six teams rolling on the first shift, and the other eight completing the round tomorrow night . . . With only three alleys taken over by the league, two of the drives will be available for open bowling all evening.

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LINCOLN LANES MIXED LEAGUE

Team—	Won	Lost
Worrells	16	5
Volks	15	6
Hoyles	13	8
Remmers	12	9
Prindaville	12	9
Bootmakers	11	10
Boveys	10	11
National Tea	9	12
Pattersons	4	17
Lincoln Lanes	3	18

Individual Records

High game—L. Melvin 232

High series—C. Volk 567

Team Records

High game—Volks 1236

High series—Hoyles 3493

Boveys	1	2	3	Tot.
R. Bovey	121	157	147	425
B. Tobey	128	99	185	412
R. Stevens	82	95	90	268
M. Howard	184	145	198	527
H. Bay	112	139	154	405
E. Means	150	150	150	450
Handicap	253	253	253	759
Totals	1031	1028	1177	3239

Worrell	1	2	3	Tot.
B. Worrell	156	123	118	397
I. Rogers	108	120	130	358
L. Melvin	219	145	160	521
L. Conkrite	111	149	163	423
A. Ruberg	135	138	135	408
D. Hertz	137	109	151	407
Handicap	222	222	222	666
Totals	1088	1096	1029	3213

Volks	1	2	3	Tot.
Volk	189	159	196	543
Schneider	157	177	149	483
Morris	146	153	142	441
Charles	135	138	110	383
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R. Gertz	157	198	113	468
Handicap	232	232	232	696
Totals	1156	1196	1074	3428

Prindaville	1	2	3	Tot.
E. [illegible]	148	161	109	421
G. Covert	111	149	168	428
J. Prindaville	125	107	155	387
C. Burke	165	169	169	503
M. Burke	109	95	113	317
P. Prindaville	134	147	149	430
Handicap	268	268	268	804
Totals	1060	1099	1131	3290

Lincoln Lanes (FORFEIT)

Hoyles	1	2	3	Tot.
M. Hoyle	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
E. Schulte	145	107	102	354

Modest

Boston, May 24 — (AP) — Amazing Dave (Boo) Ferriss, who has reeled off five straight triumphs as a freshman pitcher, today wondered just how many more he had to go to earn himself a locker in the clubhouse.

Not so inog ago, Ferriss, a medically discharged Army Air Forces veteran, reported to Manager Joe Cronin from the Louisville American Association farm club and was assigned a rusty nail for his civvies in the clubhouse. Trainer Win Green's decree is "lockers for the regulars".

After Ferriss baffled the American League championship St. Louis Browns with a five-hitter for a 4-1 win yesterday, he accepted the congratulations of his teammates in humble stride before doffing his street attire from his nail in the wall.

"I'm getting frightfully embarrassed about this most awkward situation", said Green to Cronin. "Do you think I could make suitable amends by cleaning out five of the lockers in our pitchers' row and giving them all to Ferriss? What a modest guy! He's won five straight and I haven't heard him complain about anything".

	1	2	3	Tot.
T. Schulte	118	151	138	407
M. L. Hoyle	103	124	138	365
O. Hoyle	170	225	148	543
L. Hoyle	169	148	206	493
Handicap	253	253	253	759
Totals	1073	1127	1075	3275

Remmers	1	2	3	Tot.
D. Remmers	129	119	142	390
C. Dierdorff	150	149	129	428
K. Hill	114	100	124	338
C. Hardesty	145	112	160	418
J. Toole	102	117	108	327
C. Emmert	177	160	168	505
Handicap	261	261	261	783
Totals	1078	1019	1082	3219

Pattersons	1	2	3	Tot.
Harmon	109	130	129	368
Clayton	118	130	109	387
Horton, ave.	112	112	112	336
Rasmussen	115	134	148	397
E. Patterson	96	82	92	270
F. Patterson	177	89	114	380
Handicap	312	312	312	936
Totals	1069	989	1016	3074

Bootmakers	1	2	3	Tot.
M. Lovin	131	131	143	408
O. Lovin	142	154	119	415
M. Dewey	147	101	181	429
A. Dewey	166	118	161	467
Ommen	186	117	135	471
Kested	158	158	158	414
Handicap	222	222	222	666
Totals	1137	1041	1122	3300

National Tea	1	2	3	Tot.
J. Ambrose	134	124	146	404
D. Mayes	168	125	93	386
R. Stacey	118	117	103	338
T. Brechon	112	101	109	352
C. Cooley	153	153	153	459
R. Ambrose	126	189	111	426
Handicap	326	326	326	978
Totals	1167	1135	1041	3343

SPORTS ROUND-UP

BY HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, May 24—(AP)—Owner Sam Breadon of the Cardinals evidently decided he couldn't do anything about Mort Cooper's striking way of showing his displeasure with his salary except grin and Barrett. And you might add that the Braves were brave in more ways than one way to take on a guy who has created such a disturbance. Still, it's an encouraging note in these days of manpower shortages that Breadon wo... sell the best pitcher in the league without having two guys almost as good waiting to be moved up from the minors.

QUOTE, UNQUOTE

A Chicago reporter (after interviewing Baseball Commissioner Happy Chandler): "Happy took the bat, hit the ball on the nose and now is running all over hell looking for first base".

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Jack Johnson, age 67, has agreed to step a few rounds with "any heavyweight they pick" at the Broadway Arena war loan show next Monday. Zack Sosnow, Newark, N. J., Central high school whose star flinger, Ted Del Guercio, fanned 89 batsmen in his first six games, gives this explanation for the flashy performances of school pitchers: "Pitchers can warm up in an alleyway, but where can batters get their practice?"

AT EASE, PLEASE

Pacific Coast leaguers are telling a yarn about Ken Hicks, who came right out of the Army to pitch for Los Angeles. During a tight ball game, Hicks had a runner on first and was ready to pitch to the next batsman when the loud speaker boomed out: "Attention, please. The next.." At the word "Attention" Ken froze into the proper military posture. The umpire called it a balk and sent the runner to second.

SERVICE DEPT.

Most baseball managers these days would settle for two-thirds of the catching staff that works for Harry Hughes, former Atlanta manager who pilots a Marine team in the Pacific. He has Pfc Dee Moore, formerly of the Reds, Phillies and Dodgers; Corp. Aubrey Epps of the Pirates and Memphis Chicks and Corp. Neil Andrews, ex-St. Paul backstop.... Staff Sgt. Stanley "Whitey" Von Nieda, former Penn State basketballer, addresses his mail from the European theater to "Pop, Ephrata, Pa." His father is the mailman .. National Football League publicist George Strickler reports that Joe Stydahar, former Bears' tackle, has been taken off armed guard service and is afloat off Tokyo on a carrier. Maybe he should have said as a carrier.

FIGHTS LAST NIGHT

(By The Associated Press)

ELIZABETH, N. J.—The Coros Kid, 161, New Haven, outpointed Vincent Jones, 157, Tampa, Fla. (10).

WEBSTER, Mass.—Mario Torres, 152, Puerto Rico, knocked out Leo Methot, 154, Montreal (9).

OAKLAND, Calif.—George (Sugar) Costner, 149, Cincinnati, outpointed Paul Lewis, 156, Oakland, 10.

It has been found that there is an accidental death in the United States every five and one-half minutes, while someone is suffering an injury every three seconds.

The oyster is this country's most valuable sea crop. The average yearly yield amounts now to 90,000,000 pounds.

Baseball

By The Associated Press

MAJOR LEAGUE STANDINGS

National League

Team—	Won	Lost	Pct.
New York	22	7	.759
Brooklyn	17	11	.607
St. Louis	15	13	.536
Chicago	13	13	.500
Pittsburgh	13	14	.481
Boston	11	14	.440
Cincinnati	10	14	.417
Philadelphia	7	22	.241

American League

Team—	Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	15	8	.652
Detroit	14	9	.609
New York	15	11	.577
St. Louis	13	10	.565
Washington	12	15	.444
Cleveland	10	14	.417
Boston	10	15	.400
Philadelphia	10	17	.370

YESTERDAY'S SCORES

National League

Chicago, 5; Philadelphia, 3.
New York, 2; Cincinnati, 0.
Pittsburgh, 9; Boston, 8.
St. Louis, 11; Brooklyn, 1.

American League

New York, 5; Chicago, 3.
Boston, 4; St. Louis, 1.
Detroit, 7; Philadelphia, 1.
Cleveland, 3; Washington, 2.

American Association

Milwaukee, 11; Columbus, 2.
Indianapolis, 8; St. Paul, 1.
Kansas City, 9; Toledo, 5.
Louisville, 9; Minneapolis, 4.

TODAY'S GAMES

(Central War Time)

National League

New York at Cincinnati, 2:30 p. m.
Brooklyn at St. Louis, 8:30 p. m.
Boston at Pittsburgh, 2:15 p. m.
Philadelphia at Chicago, 1:30 p. m.

American League

Chicago at New York, 1:30 p. m.
St. Louis at Boston, 1:30 p. m.
Detroit at Philadelphia, 2:15 p. m.
Cleveland at Washington, 7:30 p. m.

TOMORROW'S SCHEDULE

NATIONAL LEAGUE—New York at Cincinnati, Brooklyn at St. Louis, (night), Boston at Pittsburgh and Philadelphia at Chicago.

AMERICAN LEAGUE—Detroit at Philadelphia (night), Cleveland at Washington (night), Chicago at New York and St. Louis at Boston.

YESTERDAY'S STARS

DAVE FERRIS, Red Sox—Rookie copped fifth straight with five-hitter against Browns, 4-1, driving in run in game-clinching rally.

HAL NEWHOUSER, Tigers—Hung up new 1945 strikeout standard by whiffing 11 Athletics in 7-1 breeze.

HERSHEL MARTIN, Yankees—Sparked New York five-run first inning attack against Chicago White Sox with two-run homer in 5-3 victory.

HARRY LOWREY, Cubs—Collected two singles, drove in two runs and stole a base in Chicago's 5-3 edge over Phillies.

AL GIONFRIDDO, Pirates—Broke up game in 13th inning with single for Pittsburgh's 9-8 decision over Boston.

JACK CREEL, Cardinals—Won his first big league starting job with six-hit effort for St. Louis against Dodgers, 11-1.

MICKEY ROCCO, Indians—Singled home Ross with decisive score of Cleveland's 3-2 edge over Washington.

VAN MUNGO, Giants—Shut out Cincinnati with three singles and drove in one tally of New York's 2-0 margin.

MAJOR LEAGUE LEADERS

National League

BATTING—Ott, New York, .408; Holmes, Boston, .407.

RUNS—Ott, New York, and Holmes, Boston, 28.

RUNS BATTED IN—Lombardi, New York and Kurowski, St. Louis, 27.

HITS—Holmes, Boston, 44; Kurowski, St. Louis, 41.

DOUBLES—Kurowski, St. Louis, 12; Holmes, Boston, 11.

TRIPLES—Barrett, Gustine and O'Brien, Pittsburgh; Walker, Brooklyn, and Reys, New York, 3.

HOME RUNS—Lombardi, New York, 9; Ott and Weintraub, New York, 7.

STOLEN BASES—McCormick and Clay, Cincinnati; Hart, Brooklyn; Nieman, Boston and Barrett, Pittsburgh, 5.

PITCHING—Voiselle, New York, 6-0, 1.000; Burkhardt, St. Louis, and Karl, Philadelphia, 3-0, 1.000.

American League

BATTING—Cuccinello, Chicago, .351; Case, Washington, .333.

RUNS—Stirnweiss, New York, 19; Stephens, St. Louis, 18.

RUNS BATTED IN—Stephens, St. Louis, and Etten, New York, 19.

HITS—Case, Washington, 34; Etten, New York, 30.

DOUBLES—Byrnes and McQuinn, St. Louis; Siebert, Philadelphia, and Moses, Chicago, 8.

TRIPLES—Torres, Washington, 3; twelve players tied with 2.

HOME RUNS—Stephens, St. Louis, 7; Derry, New York, and R. Johnson, Boston, 4.

STOLEN BASES—Case, Washington, 11; Myatt, Washington, 6.

PITCHING—Ferris, Boston, 5-0, 1.000; Borowy, New York, 6-1, .857.

Sports Shorts

Champaign, Ill., May 24—(AP)—Directors and coaches of Western Conference schools opened a three day meeting here today to complete next fall's football schedule and to consider publication of a new Big Ten code.

Champaign, Ill., May 24—(AP)—Don Delaney of Grand Rapids, Mich., University of Illinois senior who attended the University of Detroit for a year, has been awarded the 1945 Illinois Conference medal for proficiency in athletics and scholarship, Douglas R. Mills, athletic director, announced today. Delaney, a Navy V-12 student, won two varsity letters in basketball at Illinois. He was a center on the 1944 and 1945 teams.

Washington, May 24—(AP)—Anglers out for a little recreation (and a mess of fish can come in mighty handy during this food shortage) chipped in $9,857,299 last year for the privilege.

This wasd isclosed by Interior Sec retary Ickes today in his fish and wildlife service report for the fiscal year which ended June 30, 1944.

The figure is the revenue collected by the 48 states and Alaska from the sale of 7,816,169 fishing licenses.

This compares with the preceding year when 8,028,674 licenses were sold for $10,024,329. The drop apparently was due to tighter gasoline rationing—and that many potential license buyers are in the armed forces.

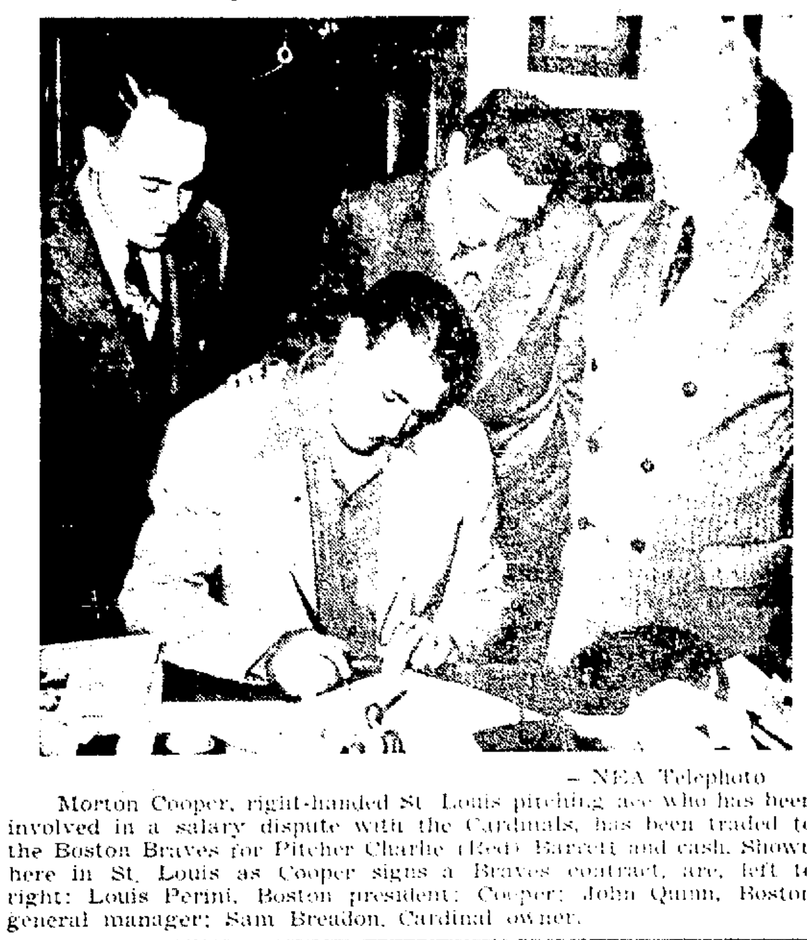
California collected the most cash, $902,188, but Michigan sold the most licenses, 701,310. Illinois collected $350,827 and sold 452,301 licenses.

TROUBLE-SPOTTER

One of the latest aids made available to bomber flyers is a pocket-sized gadget which flashes a light in the cockpit when engine trouble is developing, giving the pilot time to take the necessary precautions while in the air or to make a forced landing before the trouble becomes too serious.

Bridge whist was known in Constantinople (Istanbul) and Greece about 1870 long before the game invaded western Europe.

Cooper Traded to Braves



— NEA Telephoto

Morton Cooper, right-handed St. Louis pitching ace who has been involved in a salary dispute with the Cardinals, has been traded to the Boston Braves for Pitcher Charlie (Red) Barrett and cash. Shown here in St. Louis as Cooper signs a Braves contract, are, left to right: Louis Perini, Boston president; Cooper; John Quinn, Boston general manager; Sam Breadon, Cardinal owner.

Senior Loop Flag Race Scrambled—Cooper to Braves

Giants, Pirates, Cubs Get Strong Support From Sport Experts

By JACK HAND
(Associated Press Sports Writer)

Sale of Mort Cooper to Boston appears to have scrambled the National league flag race today with strong support going to the Giants, Pirates and Cubs and a couple of stray votes to the newly rich Braves.

Already the Giants' Van Mungo has turned in an inspired job, going all the way without relief help from Ace Adams for the first time in seven starts as he blanked the Cincinnati Reds, -0, last night with three hits and struck out 10. The Giants got to Bucky Walters for nine blows including three by Manager Mel Ott who boosted his average to .408.

Chicago also benefitted by a fine pitching job from the veteran Claude Passeau, who held the Phillies in check while the Bruins plastered Charley Schanz, 5-3, for his sixth straight setback.

Pittsburgh had to go 13 rounds with Boston before grabbing a 9-8 edge on a single by rookie Al Gionfriddo. After the Braves' spurted with five in the ninth to tie it up, Frankie Frisch called on his ace, Rip Sewell, to hold the fort.

Cardinals Spring "Find"

St. Louis popped up with a mound "find" in rookie Jack Creel, making his first starting appearance an easy 11-1 romp past Brooklyn for the Dodgers' fourth straight setback. Homers by Whitey Kurowski and Ray Sanders helped Creel coast home.

Dave Ferriss continued to be the rave of the American league as the Boston Red Sox Army dischargee rolled up his fifth successive triumph by beating St. Louis, 4-1.

Floyd Bevens hurled the New York Yankees to a 5-3 edge over the first-place Chicago White Sox, clubbing Joe Haynes for five runs in the opening inning. Hal Newhouser struck out 11 Athletics as Detroit smashed out an impressive 7-1 score against Jesse Flores.

Cleveland continued to move upward by nosing out Washington, 3-2, in a night contest. It was Allie Reynolds' fourth successive success and five out of six for the Indians.

COOPER PACKS BAGS

St. Louis, May 24—(AP)—Morton Cooper, who found he couldn't win a salary argument with owner Sam Breadon and still play baseball with the St. Louis Cardinals, packed today for a trip to Pittsburgh, to join the Boston Braves, his new club.

Cooper was traded yesterday for pitcher Charles "Red" Barrett and an unannounced amount of cash, reported reliably to be about $50,000. It was the largest player transaction made by the Cards since 1941 when they sent Johnny Mize to the New York Giants for Ken O'Dea, Bill Lohrmann and $50,000.

The surprise deal came as a climax to a six weeks salary disagreement between Cooper and Breadon during which the big right-hander deserted the club three times.

A conference was arranged yesterday between Cooper, his attorney, Lee Havener, Breadon and the Cardinal manager, Billy Southworth, ostensibly to discuss financial terms on which the pitcher would rejoin the club.

Short Conference

However, the conference lasted less than 30 minutes before Breadon told Cooper he had been traded. Breadon apparently had made his decision before agreeing to the meeting since the two Boston representatives were waiting in his outer office.

Cooper previously had said he did not want to be traded, but came from the gathering smiling and said "everybody's happy."

The salary angle of the case arose during the Cardinals' spring series with the St. Louis Browns. Mort and his brother, Walker, now in the Navy, had signed for $12,000, the club's ceiling. Breadon signed shortstop Marty Marion for $13,000, pending governmental approval, then offered the Coopers a raise to $13,500. They turned it down, asking $15,000.

Double Header at Madison Features Big Ten Baseball

Chicago, May 24—(AP)—A doubleheader baseball battle at Camp Randall Field, Madison, Wis., on Saturday between defending champion and unbeaten Michigan and second place Wisconsin may determine the final outcome of the 1945 Western Conference title race.

The two games will wind up the Big Ten season for coach Art Mansfield's Badgers, who currently have a record of eight wins and two losses for a .750 standing. The Wolverines have four wins and no setbacks, but they have four games remaining to play after Saturday's contests.

Last week Wisconsin whipped Minnesota twice, 2-1, 2-1, to move within striking distance of the defending champions, while the Wolves downed Indiana twice, 4-2, 12-5, to maintain their perfect standing and drop the Hoosiers out of a tie for the top conference spot.

Mansfield probably will start his veteran Gene Jaroch on the mound against Michigan's pitching star, Ray (Red) Louthen in Saturday's morning game. John Robinson probably will pitch the matinee contest for the Badgers.

In other conference games this weekend Purdue will play two games at Minneapolis with Minnesota, while Northwestern plays host to Indiana in a pair of contests.



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DORIS MEAD
Reporter

Radler School Picnic

The Radley school picnic was held Sunday afternoon at the school house with a large number in attendance. Due to the rainy weather the picnic lunch had to be served indoors, but everyone thoroughly enjoyed all of the good food. The remainder of the afternoon was spent visiting and the children played many of their favorite games. The afternoon's activities were pleasantly interrupted when the teacher, Miss Helen Volkert, was presented with a beautiful Chenile rug and an artistically designed floral plaque. This was given to her in behalf of the lower grades and the graduates, with Billy Houtz selected to make the presentation. The graduates are Connie Schlesinger, Elaine Kidd, Eunice Hoelzer, Darlene Eich and Billy Houtz. A pleasant afternoon was reported by all. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. John Kaufman, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Genhler, Mrs. Henry Englehart and daughter Minnie, Mrs. Arthur Foulk and daughter Marie, Miss Amelia Walters and Gerrone Heiman of Mendota, Mr. and Mrs. George Miller of Compton, Mrs. Bernard Kilmart and family of Westmont, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Schlesinger and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hoelzer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Truckenbrod and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kidd and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Eich and family, Mr. and Mrs. August Schlesinger and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hoelzer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Merriman, Carl Volkert and family, Miss Doris Cooke and Tommy Simpson, all of Paw Paw.

Baccalaureate

The baccalaureate services honoring the graduating class of 1945 of the Paw Paw Community high school were held Sunday evening at the local Methodist church. Services began at 8 o'clock and as the program began the graduates were most impressive in their formals and suits. They are: Eva Faber, Jean Cooke, Muriel Reynolds, Elaine Schlesinger, Corrine Harris, Robert Safranek, Roger Moorehead, Curtis Krueger, Eldred Rogers, Robert Kern, Stanley Rosenkrans, Kenneth Latimer, and Stanley Hoelzer. The complete program presented was as follows:

Processional—Gayle Willard.

Invocation — Rev. Ernest C. Carder.

Solo, "The Lord's Prayer"—Kenneth Carnahan.

Scripture and Prayer—Rev. Ernest C. Carder.

Address, "Further Studies"—Rev. Ross Greek.

Music, "My Task"—Choir.

Benediction — Rev. Ernest C. Carder.

Recessional—Gayle Willard.

Grange Members Meet

The Grangers met at their lodge hall Friday evening for their regular meeting. A large number were in attendance and there were seven special guests present representing the Waltham Grange. The regular business meeting was held with Master Charles Merriman in charge of all business details. The business session was followed by an entertaining program presented by the juvenile group. A social hour was then held with those on the refreshments committee being Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Pierce, Mrs. Betty Powers, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Richardson, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rhoads, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Rhoads, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Rosenkrans and Mr. and Mrs. Rosenstone serving a dainty luncheon. Everyone reported a pleasant evening and all are urged to be on hand for the next meeting which will be held June 1.

Guests at Party

Members of a former card club sponsored a party in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Politsch who were recently married. A delicious potluck supper was served with everyone doing full justice to all the good food. The remainder of the evening was spent visiting and they presented the guests of honor with a beautiful rug as a belated wedding gift. As the guests departed late in the evening, everyone extended their most sincere best wishes to the honored guests, and they, in turn, expressed their deep appreciation in being remembered. Those attending were Sgt. and Mrs. Ray Politsch of Camp Howze, Tex, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Truckenbrod and family of Compton, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Erlenbach and family, Mr. and Mrs. Myrt Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. John Fife, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Truckenbrod and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Politsch, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Politsch, Mrs. Helen Truckenbrod and daughter Agnes, Mrs. Marshall Griffith and daughters and Felix Granjean, all of Paw Paw.

Juvenile Grange

The Juvenile Grange held its regular meeting Friday evening at the lodge rooms. The usual business session was held with Master Charles Wright, Jr., in charge, and it has been decided to have a food sale at the next meeting, which will be held June 1.

P-T. A. Picnic

The P-T. A. picnic was held at the Paw Paw Community high school auditorium Monday evening with a large crowd on hand. The picnic supper was served at about 6:30 o'clock. A short business meeting was then held with the following being elected to serve for the coming year: President, Mrs. Hugh Wells; vice-president, Bill Grove; secretary, Mrs. S. R. Dickie, and treasurer, Mrs. Floyd Neirns. A short but impressive installation ceremony conducted by the retiring president, Mrs. Ernest Carder, was then held.

Woman's Club

The ladies of the local Woman's club gathered at the home of Mrs. Ivan Urish Thursday afternoon for their regular meeting. The usual business meeting was held with president Mrs. Walter Stevens presiding. Miss Barbara Herlin of Amboy gave an instructive talk on "Making the Most of What Furniture You Have." A dainty luncheon was served with Mrs. Walter Stevens and Mrs. Robert Firkins acting as hostesses. A large number were present and Mrs. Ernest Crouch, Mrs. Myrt Rogers and Mrs. Young were the special guests.

Entertains at Bridge

Mrs. Chris Moore entertained a group of friends and neighbors at her home Thursday afternoon for a bridge party. Mrs. Clara Primrose won high honors and Mrs. Laurence Gallagher received the consolation prize. The hostess served delicious refreshments to round out a pleasant afternoon for all.

Locals

Mr. and Mrs. Garfield Thompson were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the D. E. Leckron home in Ashton.

Sgt. Willard Reynolds of Fort Sheridan, spent the weekend with his sister, Mrs. Anna Coss.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Niebergall of Chicago and Mrs. Hattie Weter of Rockford were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Niebergall.

Mrs. John Ulrey returned home Sunday from the Rockford Memorial hospital and reports she is much improved.

Mrs. Richard Dempsey and son, of Fulton visited from Thursday until Saturday at the Fred Grunderman home.

Presbyterian Church Assembly in Session

Minneapolis, May 24—(AP) — With attendance pared to one-third the average by travel bans, approximately 300 delegates met here today for the 157th general assembly of the Presbyterian Church of the United States.

The conference was to be opened by the Rev. Dr. Roy E. Vale, Indianapolis, retiring moderator, with the first order of business slated to be the selection of his successor.

There were three announced candidates—Rev. Dr. William Blakeman Lampe, St. Louis; Rev. Dr. George Harold Talbott, Passaic, N. J., and Rev. Dr. Ezra Allen Van Nuys, San Francisco — although other open nominations may be made from the assembly floor.

A ceiling projector, a five-mile-high beam of light, has been developed which makes it a simple matter to determine the heights of cloud ceilings anywhere from ceiling zero to 28,000 feet.



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PROCEEDINGS OF LEE CO. BOARD OF SUPERVISORS

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ly along Lahman street to Elm street, known as part of State Aid Route 2, Extension

ADDITIONS

Franklin Grove—1. Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Route 20 and north corporate limits at State street and extending thence southerly along State street to S. B. 1 Route 6 to be known as State Aid Route 20, Extension.

2. Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Route 2 and east corporate limits at Hughes street and extending thence westerly along Hughes street to Elm street, thence northerly along Elm street to Lahman street, to be known as State Aid Route 2, Extension.

Harmon—Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Route 15 and the north corporate limits at First street and extending thence southerly along First street to a point on the south corporate limits at First street, to be known as State Aid Route 15, Extension.

Steward—Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Route 2 and the west corporate limits at Main street and extending thence easterly along Main street to Tyler street, hence northerly along Tyler street to Main street, thence southeasterly and easterly along Main street to a point on the east corporate limits at Main street, to be known as State Aid Route 2, Extension.

West Brooklyn—Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Route 21 and the south corporate limits at First street and extending thence northerly along First street to an intersection of Johnson and First streets, to be known as State Aid Route 21, Extension.

And the clerk is directed to send two certified copies to the department of public works and buildings through the district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois.

A motion was made by Supervisor Henry W. Gehant, seconded by Supervisor Hemenway that the resolution be adopted as read. Carried.

The following resolution for improvements from M. F. T. funds was read:

Marion Twp. (MFT Construction)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENT BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED by the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, that the following described State Aid Route(s) be improved under the Motor Fuel Tax Law, approved March 25, 1929:

State Aid Route(s) 14 and 24, beginning on S. A. Rte. 14 at a point near the N. W. corner of the SW¼ of Sec. 22, T. 20 N., R. 9E., of the 4th P. M., and extending east along said Route 3 miles; also beginning on S. A. Rte. 24, near the NE corner of the SE¼ of Sec. 22, T. 20 N., R. 9 E. of the 4th P. M., and extending along said route(s) in a northerly direction 0.50 miles, a total distance of approximately 3.5 miles and.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded earth roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures, and shall be designated as Section 34 MFT; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of seventy thousand dollars ($70,000.00) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hart, seconded by Supervisor Hemenway that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—27

Those voting nay—None.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion unanimously carried

A further resolution under motor fuel tax law was read to the board:

LEE-DEKALB CO. LINE
(MFT Construction)
STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENT BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED, by the board of Supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, that the following described state aid route(s) be improved under the motor fuel tax law, approved March 25, 1929

State Aid Route 6, beginning at a point near the northeast corner of Section 24, T. 39 N., R 2 E., of the 3rd P. M., and extending along said route in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 3.6 miles and, one-half of cost of construction to be paid by DeKalb county,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that he improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded earth roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures, and shall be designated as Section 31 MFT, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000.00) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois

Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Risetter that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—26.

Those voting nay: Supervisor Leon W. Miller, 1.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion carried.

The following resolution under the motor fuel tax law was read to the board:

Palmyra (MFT Construction)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENT BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED by the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois that the following described State Aid Route(s) be improved under the Motor Fuel Tax Law approved March 25, 1929:

State Aid Route(s) 17-A, beginning at a point near the NW corner of NE¼ of the NW¼ of Section 17, T. 22 N., R. 8 E of the 4th P. M and extending along said route a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 1.3 miles and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded earth roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures and shall be designated as Section 30 MFT; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by Contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of sixty-five thousand dollars ($65,000) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hemenway, seconded by Supervisor Gehant that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—27

Those voting nay—None.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion unanimously carried

A further resolution under motor fuel tax law was read to the board:

LEE-DEKALB CO. LINE
(MFT Construction)
STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENT BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED, by the board of Supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, that the following described state aid route(s) be improved under the motor fuel tax law, approved March 25, 1929

State Aid Route 6, beginning at a point near the northeast corner of Section 24, T. 39 N., R 2 E., of the 3rd P. M., and extending along said route in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 3.6 miles and, one-half of cost of construction to be paid by DeKalb county,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that he improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded earth roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures, and shall be designated as Section 31 MFT, and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-four thousand dollars ($24,000.00) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois

A motion was made by Supervisor Finn, seconded by Supervisor Barnes that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—26.

Those voting nay: Supervisor Leon W. Miller, 1.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion carried.

The following resolution under the motor fuel tax law was read to the board:

Hamilton (MFT Construction)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENTS BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED, by the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, that the following described State Aid Route(s) be improved under the motor fuel tax law, approved March 25, 1929

State Aid Route 15, beginning at a point near the northeast corner of Section 29, T. 19 N., R 8 E. of the 4th P. M., and extending along said route in a southerly direction for a distance of approximately 2 miles and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded earth roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures, and shall be designated as Section 32 MFT; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of thirty-eight thousand dollars ($38,000.00) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois.

A motion was made by Supervisor Spangler, seconded by Supervisor Ford that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—27.

Those voting nay—None.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion unanimously carried.

The clerk read the following resolution under M.F.T. law:

Paw Paw (MFT Construction)

STATE OF ILLINOIS
RESOLUTION FOR IMPROVEMENT BY COUNTY UNDER THE MOTOR FUEL TAX LAW

BE IT RESOLVED by the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, that the following described State Aid Route(s) be improved under the Motor Fuel Tax law, approved March 25, 1929.

State Aid Route 10, beginning at a point near the center of Sec. 2, T 37 N., R 1 E. of the 3rd P. M. and extending along said route in an easterly direction for a distance of approximately 5.5 miles and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall consist of a gravel or crushed stone surface course 22 feet wide on a graded roadway 34 feet wide, with necessary drainage structures and shall be designated as Section 33 MFT and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the improvement shall be constructed by contract; and,

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that there is hereby appropriated the sum of eighty thousand dollars ($80,000.00) from the county's allotment of motor fuel tax funds for the construction of this improvement; and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the clerk is hereby directed to transmit two (2) certified copies of this resolution to the department of public works and buildings, division of highways, through its district engineer's office at Dixon, Illinois.

A motion was made by Supervisor Webber, seconded by Supervisor Kuebel that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter 26.

Those voting nay—Supervisor Leon W. Miller 1.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion carried

The following resolution for improvement of State Aid Roads was read to the board

RESOLUTION for Improvement of Certain State Aid Roads in and for Lee County, Illinois.

WHEREAS, the board of supervisors of Lee county, Illinois, desires to improve certain state aid roads in and for said county, and said board of supervisors deems it in the public interest that said roads be improved, and for that purpose it will be necessary and desirable to issue bonds of said county under the provisions of Section 15d of "An act to revise the law in relation to roads and bridges," approved June 27, 1913 as amended, and

WHEREAS this board of supervisors proposes to issue bonds for the payment of the cost of constructing such state aid road, and prior to the submission of the question to the voters of the county under the provisions of Section 15d of the act herein above mentioned, it is necessary that this board of supervisors adopt a resolution designating the roads to be improved specifying the type of improvement to be made and the proposed widths of the paved and graded roadway together with an estimate of cost of such improvements all of which must be submitted to and be approved by the department of public works and buildings

NOW THEREFORE, be it resolved by the board of supervisors of Lee county Illinois, as follows

SECTION 1. That this board of supervisors hereby determines that it is necessary and the public interest demands the improvement of portions of state aid routes within said county, and the total estimated cost of the improvements to be made on such roads in and for said county is hereby found and determined to be the sum of $1,062,300

SECTION 2. That the following described portions of State Aid routes within said county of Lee, and state of Illinois, be improved by the grading thereof, complete with all drainage structures, a width of thirty-four feet, and the paving of such graded roadway with a gravel or stone base course twenty-two feet in width, and a

9. STATE AID ROUTE 2.

Beginning at a point on the Lee-DeKalb county line near the northeast corner of Section 24, T. 39 N. R 2 E of the 3rd P. M. described as the Norwegian Church corner and the continuing thence west along State Aid Route 2 to the intersection of Tyler & Main streets in the village of Steward, a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 3.9 miles, and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $66,300

10. STATE AID ROUTE 22

Beginning at the intersection of State Aid Routes 2 and 22 at a point near the northeast corner of Section 30, T. 39 N., R. 1, E. of the 3rd P. M., described as the Reynolds church corner, and continuing thence south along State Aid Route 22 to Federal Aid Route 141 near the southeast corner of Section 18, T. 38 N., R. 1, E. of the 3rd P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 5.1 miles; and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $97,000.

11. STATE AID ROUTE 21.

Beginning at the intersection of Johnson street and First street in the village of West Brooklyn and continuing thence south, and easterly along State Aid Route 21 to the intersection of State Bond Issue Route 70 near the southeast corner of Section 8, T. 37 N., R. 1, E. of the 3rd P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 1.45 miles; and the estimated cost for such improvement is $21,750.

12. STATE AID ROUTE 4 and 5.

Beginning at the intersection of Federal Aid Route 141 and State Aid Route 4 near the Northeast corner of the Northwest Quarter of Section 5, T. 20 N., R. 11, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence southerly and easterly along State Aid Routes 4 and 5 to the Inlet Bridge across Green River located near the center of Section 9, T. 20 N., R. 11, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 2.0 miles; and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $30,000.

13. STATE AID ROUTE 15

Beginning at the intersection of Federal Aid Route 111, and State Aid Route 15 near the northeast corner of Section 2, T. 20 N., R. 8 E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence southerly along State Aid Route 15 to the intersection of extensions of State Aid Routes 15 and 14 in the village of Harmon, near the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of Section 15, T. 20 N., R. 8, E of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along center line of the road of 2.55 miles, and the estimated cost of such improvement is $52,250

14. STATE AID ROUTE 15.

Beginning at a point on First street in the village of Harmon near the intersection of First street and Balch street, near the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of Section 15, T. 20 N., R. 8, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence southerly on State Aid Route 15 to a point near the southeast corner of Section 22, T. 20 N., R. 8, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along center line of the road of 1.3 miles; and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $22,500

15. STATE AID ROUTE 12

Beginning at a point on State Aid Route 12 at the intersection of State Bond Issue Route 89 near the Southwest corner of Section 15, T. 19 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., described as Lattas Corner, and continuing thence easterly along State Aid Route 12 to the intersection of State Aid Routes 12 and 5 near the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Section 9, T. 19 N., R. 11, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along center line of the road 12.3 miles; and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $213,000

SECTION 3. In addition to the foregoing, STATE AID ROUTE 23 shall be improved by the construction of a bridge and graded approaches thereto across the Green River beginning at a point on State Aid Route 23 approximately forty rods south of the northeast corner of Section 15, T. 19 N., R. 8, E of the 4th P. M., and continuing South along State Aid Route 23 approximately forty rods.

The type and character of said bridge and the width and length thereof shall be as follows

Multiple span steel I-beam bridge having a twenty-four foot roadway and the total estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of $51,000.

SECTION 4. That a certified copy of this resolution, together with all necessary data, shall be immediately transmitted to the Department of Public Works and Buildings of the State of Illinois for its consideration and approval, in accordance with the provisions of Section 15d of "An act to revise the law in relation to roads and bridges," approved June 27, 1913 as amended

SECTION 5 That upon approval of this resolution by the Department of Public Works and Buildings, this board of supervisors of Lee county shall proceed to adopt a resolution providing for the submission to the legal voters of Lee county of the question of issuing $1,062,300 road bonds of said county and the levying of an additional annual tax for the purpose of paying the principal of and the interest upon such bonds which are to be issued for the purpose of paying the cost of the improvement of the roads as herein set forth.

bituminous surface twenty feet in width, having earth shoulders on each side of sand gravel or crushed stone base course six feet in width, to-wit

1. STATE AID ROUTE 16

Beginning at a point near the southwest corner of the northeast quarter of Section 29, T 21 N R 8 E of the 4th P. M. being the intersection of the road commonly designated as the Nelson road with State Aid Route 16, and continuing thence northeasterly along said State Aid Route 16 to a point approximately eighty rods west of the southeast corner of the Northeast quarter of Section 21, T. 21 N., R. 8 E of the 4th P. M., and also beginning at a point approximately eighty rods south of the northwest corner of Section 28, T. 21 N., R. 8 E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence northeasterly and north along State Aid Route 16 to a point approximately one hundred twenty rods south of the northeast corner of Section 12, T. 21 N., R. 8, E. of the 4th P. M., being a total distance of approximately three miles along the center line of said State Aid Route 16; the total estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of $60,000.

2. STATE AID ROUTE 2-C.

Beginning at a point near the southeast corner of Section 35, T. 22 N., R. 10, E. of the 4th P. M., being the intersection of State Aid Route 2-C and State Bond Issue Route 6, and continuing thence north along State Aid Route 2-C to a point near the northeast corner of Section 23, T. 22 N., R. 10, E. of the 4th P. M., being the intersection of State Aid Route 2-C, and the Lee-Ogle county line; a total distance along the center line of State Route 2-C of three miles; and the total estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of $69,000.

3. STATE AID ROUTE 2-B.

Beginning at a point near the southeast corner of the corporate limits of the village of Ashton and approximately sixty rods north of the southwest corner of the southeast quarter of Section 27, T. 22 N., R. 11, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence easterly and southerly along State Aid Route 2-B to a point near the southeast corner of Section 3, T. 21 N., R. 11, E of the 4th P. M., being the intersection of State Aid Route 2-B and State Aid Route 2, a distance of 2.65 miles, and the total estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of $12,000.

4 STATE AID ROUTE 8.

Beginning at a point approximately eighty rods east of the southwest corner of Section 17, T. 38 N., R. 2 E. of the 3rd P. M., described as the proposed intersection of State Aid Route 8 and State Bond Issue Route 71, and continuing thence northerly along State Aid Route 8 to a point near the northeast corner of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of Section 8, T. 38 N., R. 3 E. of the 3rd P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of 1.5 miles, and the total estimated cost of such improvement is the sum of $36,500.

5. STATE AID ROUTE 1-A.

Beginning at a point on State Aid Route 1-A near the center of Section 25, T. 22 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., described as Heagy's corner, and continuing thence northeasterly along State Aid Route 1-A to a point near the northeast corner of the southeast quarter, southeast quarter, Section 24, T. 22 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along center line of the road 1.0 mile; and the total estimated cost of such improvement is $18,000.

6. STATE AID ROUTE 11.

Beginning at a point on State Aid Route 11 near the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 18, T. 21 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence southerly along State Aid Route 11 to a point approximately nine rods north of the southeast corner of Section 18, T. 21 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., and also beginning at a point approximately sixty-one rods south of the Southeast corner of Section 18, T. 21 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing thence southerly along State Aid Route 11 to a point near the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of Section 30, T. 21 N., R. 9, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 2.0 miles; and the total estimated cost of such improvement is $60,000.

7. STATE AID ROUTE 7.

Beginning at a point on State Aid Route 7 near the southeast corner of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of Section 7, T. 21 N., R. 10, E. of the 4th P. M., and continuing southerly and easterly along State Aid Route 7 to the intersection with State Bond Issue Route 3, approximately forty rods north of the northwest corner of the southwest quarter, southwest quarter of Section 20, T. 21 N., R. 10, E. of the 4th P. M., a total distance taken along the center line of the road of 2.8 miles; and the total estimated cost for such improvement is $42,000.

8. STATE AID ROUTE 2.

Beginning at a point near the southeast corner of the southwest quarter of Section 23, T. 39 N., R. 1, E. of the 3rd P. M., described as the intersection of State Aid Route 2 and State Bond Issue 70, and continuing thence westerly and northerly along State Aid Route 2 to the intersection of the Elm street and Hughes street, in the village of Franklin Grove, a total distance taken along the center line of the road and of 11.3 miles; and the total estimated cost of such improvement is $178,000.

SECTION 6. That this resolution be in full force and effect immediately upon its passage.

Passed April 25th, 1945.

Approved April 25th, 1945.

CHARLES C. CASE,
Chairman, Board of Supervisors, Lee County, Illinois.

Attest:
STERLING D. SCHROCK.
County Clerk, Lee County, Ill.

Some discussion followed by several supervisors. Supervisor Sproul explained that he wanted to go on record as being opposed to the resolution as proposed.

A motion was made by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller, seconded by Supervisor Sandrock that the resolution be adopted as read. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Hess, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Hart Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—20.

Those voting nay—Supervisors Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Teschendorff, Spangler and Emmitt—7.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion carried.

Mr. Howard Hall, foreman of the grand jury spoke before the board relative to the request of grand jury, which was tabled earlier in the meeting. Considerable discussion but no action taken.

A motion was made by Supervisor Prescott, seconded by Supervisor Cortright, that the Lee county liquor commission request all county tavern operators to close for a period of 24 hours on V-E day. Carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Elmer J. Miller, seconded by Supervisor Barnes that the clerk read the mileage and per diem.

L. D. Hemenway	$10.00
E. F. Barnes	8.60
John J. Wagner	8.50
Milton G. Vaupel	9.00
Henry W. Gehant	9.50
Elmer J. Miller	8.30
A. C. Higby	7.20
George F. Prescott	5.10
Leon W. Miller	7.40
Frank C. Sproul	7.10
Wm. G. Ford	7.10
J. Clark Hess	7.10
W. W.Teschendorff	7.20
Seth Anderson	8.50
J. E. Mau	8.80
Wm. Kranov	6.10
O. S. Baylor	8.10
John Finn	8.10
Justin Becker	9.30
Carl E. Spangler	7.70
John T. Emmitt	7.80
Leon J. Hart	7.50
Joy Sandrock	9.20
J. W. Cortright	7.30
Charles J. Kuebel	9.50
George Webber	9.60
H. O. Risetter	10.40
Charles C. Case	10.40
Clerk	6.00

A motion was made by Supervisor Vaupel, seconded by Supervisor Webber that the mileage and per diem be allowed as read. Carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Kuebel, seconded by Supervisor Prescott that all claims and appropriations as allowed at this meeting be approved by a roll call vote. Said motion coming on for a roll call vote, the clerk proceeded to call the roll with the result as follows:

Those voting aye: Supervisors Hemenway, Barnes, Wagner, Vaupel, Gehant, Elmer J. Miller, Higby, Prescott, Leon W. Miller, Sproul, Ford, Hess, Teschendorff, Anderson, Mau, Kranov, Baylor, Finn, Becker, Spangler, Emmitt, Hart, Sandrock, Cortright, Kuebel, Webber and Risetter—27.

Those voting nay—None.

Thereupon the chairman declared said motion unanimously carried.

A motion was made by Supervisor Hess, seconded by Supervisor Barnes that the board adjourn until Thursday, May 3rd, 1945, at 10:00 o'clock.

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Truman Sends Two Trusted Agents on Important Missions

Hopkins Goes to Moscow, Davies to London for President

Washington, May 24—(AP)—President Truman sent two trusted emissaries to London and Moscow today.

Presumably they will open preliminary negotiations looking to ultimate "Big Three" settlement of grave international issues involving the United Nations.

Harry L. Hopkins, recently bedridden confidante of President Roosevelt, is en route on a new mission to Moscow. Joseph E. Davies, former ambassador to Russia, is headed for London for conferences with Prime Minister Churchill.

These developments, announced by the White House late yesterday followed earlier disclosure that Truman had decided to make a personal visit to San Francisco to address the closing session of the United Nations conference.

Following up yesterday's talk at the White House with Secretary of State Stettinius, two recent conferences with former State Secretary Hull and meetings with diplomats of most of the United Nations, they added up to the conclusion that the chief executive is preparing to move boldly into the international scene

Only Silence from Moscow

At last week's news conference, the president announced that he hoped to arrange a meeting soon with premier Stalin and Churchill.

Similar hope was expressed the same day by the British prime minister, but since that time, there has been only silence from Moscow.

This raised speculation today whether Hopkins, in his forthcoming talks with Stalin, and Davies, in his conferences with Churchill would be able to pave the way for an early "Big Three" get together, possibly arranging a date, and, more difficult, a site.

Yesterday's White House announcement said simply that Hopkins would "converse with Marshal Stalin upon matters now in discussion" between the soviet and American governments, and that Davies would talk with Churchill and other British officials about "certain matters of common interest" to the governments "arising out of the war".

Hopkins and Davies may explore preliminary phases of German occupational problems. There also are the problems presented by Poland and Yugoslavia.

Tail lights of 300,000 candle power have been installed on the rear of the trains of the North-Western and Rock Island railroads. Visible three miles in the daytime and eight miles at night they are being used as a means of preventing rear-end collisions.

Approximately 7,000 persons were drowned in the United States last year.

State Department Out of Moth Balls

San Francisco, May 24—(AP)—The state department has come out of the mothballs to play smarter pool. It's letting more people into its interantional business.

Behind it all is this: The state department wants nation-wide backing on the idea of a world organization to keep peace.

So out of the United Nations conference it invited as consultants the representatives of more than 40 national organizations ranging from labor, bubsiness and agriculture to fraternal groups.

For years the department, about the stodggiest government agency in Washington, made decisions on international affairs which became public at a later date.

But when the state department was getting ready for this conference, it knew United States participation in a world organization would be examined critically by millions of Americans. It seemed a cinch that no league could suit everyone, because there are so many different interests in this country.

Before the United States can enter a world league the senate must approve.

The senate represents every state and that includes organized groups, such as those brought out here as consultants.

Senators Under Pressure

Senators are always under pressure to vote this way o that. If they approve of the job done at San Francisco, the consultant organizations can make their influence felt.

The state department recognized this. It knew senate approval and the approval of the people were needed to complete the job started here.

Hence the consultant groups. They have consulted with state department officials and the members of the American delegation step by step as the United Nations charter takes shape.

Robert M. Gaylord, chairman of the board of directors of the National Association of Manufacturers, Rockford, Ill., summed up his reaction thus:

He was enthusiastic at the way in which the state department conferred with—and listened to—the consultants.

He was particularly pleased by the way in which labor, farm and business representatives pulled together for a common purpose: To get the best world league possible.

Day By Day On the Air

by

C. E. BUTTERFIELD

(Central War Time)

New York, May 24—(AP)—Bing Crosby is going to play some more benefit golf with Bob Hope. In doing so, he's to forget regular weekly broadcasting at least three Thursdays, yet he'll get on the air at least once with a match.

His 8 o'clock program tonight will be in the hands of Bob Burns, a regular on the show before he went out on his own. Next week's guest MC hasn't been picked, but the next week it will be Frank Morgan.

The match to get some air attention, or at least 15 minutes of it, is the one billed for Chicago Saturday afternoon at 3:15 on NBC.

Tuning tonight (Thursday): NBC—Frank Morgan; 7:30 Dinah Shore; 8:30 Joan Davis; 9:30 Rudy Vallee..CBS—7:30 Death Valley Sheriff; 8 Morton Gould music; 9 First Line; 9:30 Larry Douglas and Ripley.. BLU—6:30 Benny Goodman music; 7:30 Town Meeting "America's Race Problem"; 9:30 Al Donahue band; 9:30 March of Time..MBS—7:30 Agatha Christie's Poirot; 9 Arch Oboler play "Exercise in Horror".

Friday items: NBC—12 Noon U. S. Marine Band; 2:30 p. m. Pepper Young; 5:15 Serenade to America; 7:30 Duffy's Tavern; 9 Amos and Andy.. CBS..2 Milt Bacon stories; 4 AAF Scrap Book; 5:30 Sally Moore concert; 7 Henry Aldrich, 8:30 Those Websters .BLU—11:30 a. m. Farm and Home; 12:15 p. m. Constance Bennett; 2:30 Ladies Be Seated; 5:45 Kay Armen sings; 8 Famous Jury Trials; 9:30 Doctors Talk It Over..MBS—9:30 a. m. Shady Valley Folks; 1:15 p. m. Jane Cowl; 2:15 Geo. Olsen band; 6:15 Sonfonietta; 8:30 Double or Nothing.

Survivor of Franklin Has Wedding to Attend

Ziegler, Ill., May 24—(AP)—Chief Petty Officer Frank Monkus, 27, of Ziegler, was known here today as a charter member of the Big Ben 704 club—a fellowship of crewmen who rode in with the crippled carrier Franklin after she was blasted with bombs deep in Japanese waters on March 19.

Like the others, Chief Monkus won his plank through an initiation of smoke, explosion, threat of death and loss of ship while fighting fires on the carrier for 15 hours.

"It seems like a terrible dream more than anything else," Chief Monkus said in an interview here. He said he was one of the original crew which boarded the Franklin when she was commissioned in January, 1944. He was aboard, he said, when she was hit twice before.

At the conclusion of his 30 day leave Chief Monkus expects to rejoin the Franklin and his fellow clubmen in Big Ben 707.

"I wouldn't feel at home aboard any other ship," he said. But first he has a wedding to attend—his own.

POLO

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Cpl. Donald Wolfe arrived Saturday to spend a 67-day leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Wolfe. Donald has been serving in the European theater of war for the past 18 months, was a prisoner of war for four days, was released and arrived in the states last Tuesday, May 15. At the end of his leave he will report at a rest camp in Miami, Florida.

The Polo fire department was called Wednesday morning at 3 a. m. to the Harry Wolt farm, 2½ miles northwest of Polo, which is tenanted by his son Robert Wolf, to extinguish a fire that started from some unknown origin in a double corn crib and granary. The loss was 1100 bushels of corn, 800 bushels of oats, Fordson tractor, feed grinder, rubber-tired wagon. The loss is estimated at $5,000, was partially covered by insurance. Due to the good work of the Polo fire department the other buildings were protected from the fire.

The annual Polo bowling league banquet was held Tuesday evening at the town hall. The ladies of the Methodist church served the dinner. Mrs. Robert Sweet, Miss Bernice Woodin and Elmer Davis were the committee in charge. There were 160 attending. Decorations were patriotic colors. The tables were centered with sprng bouquets. Entertainment was furnished by the City orchestra under the direction of H. E. Pangborn, and Jack Kennaugh's Paradettes of Dixon. Election of officers followed the entertainment were president, James Noakes, first vice president, Leo Deets, second vice president, L. C. Champion; third vice president, O Seng; fourth vice president, High Cross; secretary, Melvin Hurdle; treasurer, Donald Sweet. The retiring president was Les Clayton, secretary James Noakes, treasurer, Jack Smith.

Robert Johnson returned to his home Wednesday afternoon from K.S.B. hospital in Dixon, where he had been a patient since Saturday evening due to a fracture of his left arm. He caught his arm in the belt of a grinding machine while he was grinding corn at his home Saturday evening.

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W. R. C. Meeting

Oregon Woman's Relief Corps will meet Friday afternoon at 2:30. Members having birthdays in May will be guests of honor. All members are urged to attend as plans will be made for Memorial Day. Mrs. Earl Richard and Mrs. Howard Todd are on the committee.

To Get Advanced Training

Lieut. Keith Frihart, U. S. Marine Air Force and wife of Peru, Ind., are visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Frihart. They will return to Peru Saturday and on June 7 will leave for Pensacola, Fla., where he has been ordered to report for advanced training.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid and Mrs. Martin Waite were Sunday dinner guests at the John Reid home in Polo.

Mrs. Jack O'Bannon and Mrs Ira Oakes of Rockford were callers Sunday of Miss Mary H. Landers.

Family Night will be observed tonight at Oregon Country club for members and guests.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry R Franklin were Chicago visitors Tuesday.

Warnolts Clinic

John Brundage of Polo, William Grover of Chana, Mrs. Frederick Clifford and Mrs. Elizabeth Vocona are all medical patients.

The following selectees have been ordered to report for induction: Kester Wayne Fulver, Donald Martin Zellers, Carl Keith Coffman, Christopher Hiram Archer, Bernell Lyle Frank Earl Noffsinger, Jr., Albert Weaver Book, Wayne Willard Janecek, Robert Dale Reed Transferred from other boards: James Bond Bankston.

Mr. and Mrs. James Reid were visited Tuesday and Wednesday by her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Powell of Chicago.

Mrs. E. D. Landers returned home Sunday from the Katherine Shaw Bethea hospital in Dixon, where she had been receiving treatment for a week.

Miss Jacqueline Logan, cadet nurse at Swedish-American hospital, Rockford, was home for the week end

Mrs. Elmer Brown and Mrs. Ray Doty will be hostesses to the P. D. Q. club Friday.

The present United States transcontinental airplane record of six hours and three minutes was established by a multi-engined military cargo plane in a flight from Seattle, Wash., on Jan. 10, 1945.

It has been found that nearly 10,000 pedestrians are killed each year in pedestrian-auto accidents.

Trainer Plane Pilot Cremated in Crackup

Champaign, Ill., May 24—(AP)—A trainer plane, piloted by Marshall Curtis, postoffice employe at Farmer City, Ill., struck a power line near the Champaign airport and crashed yesterday, leaving Curtis to die in the burning wreckage.

The plane came in too low over the south edge of the field, Earl Taynor, airport manager said, and burst into flame after hitting the line.

Curtis, who had flown about 30 hours alone, was on a solo flight at the time.

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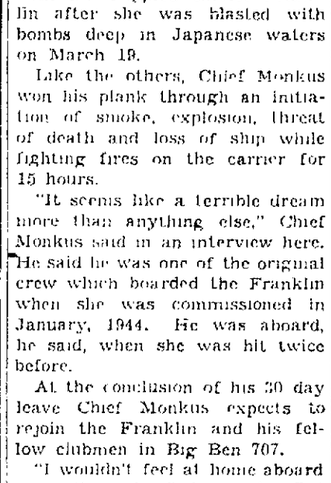
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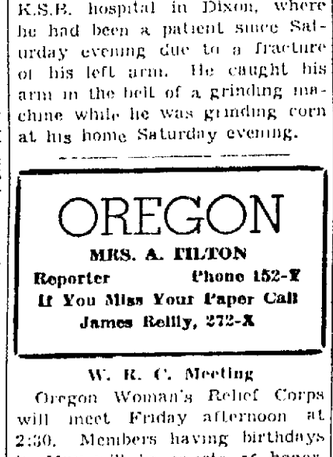
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NATIONAL Plum Preserves 1-LB. JAR 20c

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Shredded Wheat NABISCO 12-OZ. PKG. 12c

MARMALADE NATIONAL ORANGE 1-lb jar 18c

PANCAKE FLOUR Golden Mix 24-LB. PKG. 15c

BRER RABBIT GREEN LABEL Molasses 1-LB. GLASS 18c

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Krispy Crackers SUNSHINE 1-LB. PKG. 19c

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PORK & BEANS Campbell's 1-LB. CAN 9c

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Lucky 13 Club

Members of the Lucky 13 club went to Dixon Thursday at the home of Mrs. Tress Gehant where they enjoyed a scramble dinner and playing 500 in the afternoon. Prizes were won by Mrs. Alex Gehant of Dixon, first; Mrs. Laura Nelles, second; Mrs. Frances Gallisath, third; Mrs. Evelyn Maier and Mrs. Georgia Knauer, consolation prizes. The group will meet May 31st at the home of Mrs. Bertha Bresson. Mrs. Tena Gehant and Mrs. Rose Gehant were guests at this party. Others going from here were Mrs. Sadie Augenbaugh, Mrs. Darlene Bauer, Mrs. Louise Mossman, Mrs. Bertha Bresson, Mrs. Laura Nelles, Mrs. Frances Gallisath, Mrs. Evelyn Maier, Mrs. Georgia Knauer, Mrs. Rose Bresson, Mrs. Helen Shummel, Mrs. Elizabeth Bresson and Mrs. Elizabeth Swope.

Domestic Science Club

Members of the Domestic Science club met at the home of Miss Zelda Koehler Tuesday night. The evening was spent in playing 500. Prizes were won by Mrs. Laura Nelles, first; Mrs. Theresa Henkel, second, and Mrs. Matilda Untz, low. A lovely lunch was served by the hostess. The group held their last meeting of the season this Tuesday night, May 22 at the home of Mrs. Albert Chaon.

New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Funfsinn of Mendota are the parents of a baby girl born May 14. Mrs. Funfsinn was the former Cecila Henkel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Henkel of this place.

Baseball News

The West Brooklyn ball team defeated Welland Sunday here by a score of 22 to 0. Next Sunday, May 27, our team wil play GROP-Freemans here at home.

School Notes

The West Brooklyn high school had their picnic this Wednesday. The school will close Thursday for the summer vacation.

The public grade school will hold their picnic Trursday at Mendota.

St. Mary's shool is closing and had their picnic this Wednesday in LaSalle or Peru if weather permits.

Birthday Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaon entertained at their home with a dinner on Sunday in honor of Mrs. Rose Walters' birthday of Aurora. The guests besides the honoree were Mrs. Barbara Walters, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Wigum and Mr. and Mrs. Otto Oester of Aurora. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Fred Leake, Mrs. Robert Leake, daughter Beverly and son Bobby of Amboy, Mr. and Mrs. Harry McCann and Jack of Dixon, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Burkart and sons of Rochelle visited Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harold McCann.

Shower for Bride-to-Be

A shower for Miss Dorothy Untz who is to be the bride of Ivan Jeanblanc in a June wedding, was held Sunday in St. Mary's hall. She received many nice and useful gifts. The afternoon was spent in entertainng by girl friends of Dorothy's, playing piano, guitars and other instruments and singing. The entertainers were Marie Brasel and June Kalsted of Lee Center, Marion Pasley of Compton, Juhan and Iva Henkel of Sublette. A few of the others from out of town were Mrs. Wilbur Jeanblanc of Aurora, Mrs. Frank Henkel of Sublette, and Mrs. Alex Gehant of Dixon.

Entertained Sunday Eve

Mr. and Mrs. William Jones of Mendota entertained at their home Sunday evening, a number of relatives from West Brooklyn. The evening was spent in playing euchre, prizes being won by Mrs. Sylvester Jones, first; Mrs. Ermin Dinges, second; men, Sylvester Jones, first; Robert Doran, second. A delicious lunch was served afterwards. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. George Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Jones and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Dinges and Russell, Mr. and Mrs. Casper Wilhelm, all of this place, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Doran of Mendota.

St. Mary's Church

Masses on Sunday are at 8 and 10 a. m. At the 8 o'clock mass the seven boy, and girls will graduate from St. Mary's school. They are Miss Lois Bieschke, Miss Mary and Miss Rita Untz, Paul Ege, Robert Sheridan, Albert Untz and Robert Haub.

Mr. and Mrs. Ermin Dinges and Russell and Sister Mary Blina visited Saturday in LaSalle at St Mary's hospital Sister Mary Hermaine who is coming along fine after recovering from her operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Derr of Shabbona and son Corp. Tech. Milton Derr who is spending a 45-day furlough with his parents from Iceland and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott and daughter Joan of Amboy were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the home of Mrs. Georgia Knauer, Elaine and Mrs. Mary Knauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fassig and family spent Sunday evening visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Bieser of Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. John Sauressig, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wolf and Miss Lidia Halboth of Mendota were Sunday afternoon and evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Brucker.

Among some of those from here that attended the graduation exercises in Lee Center Friday night were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Chaon, and Helen Chaon, Mrs. Frances Farley and Rose Ann, Louis Chaon Cyril and Rosetta Chaon, Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Auchstetter, Mr. and Mrs. Sylvester Jones and Judy, Mrs. George Jones and Charine, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Melot and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Zinke and Charlotte, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maier and Frances, Margaret, Alice and Mrs. Mary Sherman.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Gehant of Dixon were Sunday afternoon callers at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gehant.

F. W. Meyer and Oliver L. Gehant, Sr., attended exemplification of the third degree of the Knights of Columbus in Dixon on Sunday afternoon, which was followed in the evening by a banquet in Brinton Memorial Masonic hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dolan, Esther and Richard were Sunday dinner and supper guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Weeks of Mendota.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Fassig visited Wednesday in Belvidere with the former's uncle, Christ Wolf, who has been ill and is some better. He is staying at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Glen Wolf and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Gillette and Francis Hahn were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Glaser.

The high school play that was held Thursday evening was very well attended. Everyone took their part good and everyone that attended liked it very well.

Mrs. Fred Leake, Mrs. Robert Leake, daughter Beverly and son Bobby of Amboy were Sunday afternoon visitors at the Fred Koehler home.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Bialas and family of LaMoille, Mr. and Mrs. W. Bialas of Paw Paw, Adolf Metzger and family of Rochelle were at the Earl Schnuckel home on Sunday, honoring Mrs. Metzger for Mother's Day. A scramble dinner was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Theiss of Sublette are the proud parents of State Center, Iowa, were Tuesday at the Amboy hospital. Mrs. Theiss is the former Miss Ruth Gehant of this place.

Second Lt. Kenneth Henrich of Hondo, Texas, and Mrs. Henrich of State Center, Iowa, were Tuesday afternoon callers here.

Mr. and Mrs. James Finn and family were Tuesday callers in West Brooklyn.

Mrs. Earl Schnuckel and Nester Metzger left for Harrisburg, Penn., last Thursday to take part in the wedding of their sister, Olga Metzger of Rochelle and Pvt. James Howard of Potosi, Wis., who is stationed at Indiantown Gap, Penn. They returned home Monday.

Mrs. Adolf Metzger of Rochelle has been staying at the Earl Schnuckel home while Mrs. Earl Schnuckel was in Penn.

Mr. and Mrs. George Halboth were Sunday evening visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Brucker.

Mrs. Tena Michel was called to Farmington Thursday, where her son Harold was taken seriously ill. He was taken to a Peoria hospital and is some better at this writing. Mrs. Michel is spending a week with him.

Gene Michel of St. Bede's of Peru spent the week end at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Michel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Gehant of Dixon were Sunday dinner guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gehant and family.

Lonnie Buchanan of Mendota was a business caller here Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Ruhland and family were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Bieschke.

Oliver L. Gehant and Henry W. Gehant attended a bankers' meeting and banquet in Dixon Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kutter and Mrs. Carrie Johnson of Mendota were Sunday visitors at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Fassig.

Albert Gehant and Orville Delhotal were serving on the grand jury in Dixon Monday and Tuesday.

Marine Leader

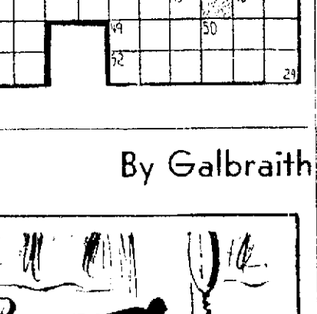
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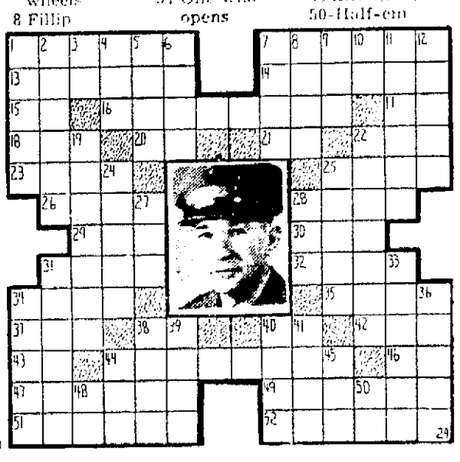
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13 Having a handle
14 Genus of ferns
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18 Lieutenants (ab.)
20 Italian river
21 Spain (ab.)
22 Summer (Fr.)
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25 Very (Fr.)
26 River barriers
28 Perforated ornamental ball
29 Encountered
30 Insurance (ab.)
31 Tentmaker
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44 Contrivances used in surveying
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51 Wandering
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VERTICAL

1 Prisons
2 He commands a division of the —— States Marines
3 Lone Scout (ab.)
4 John (Gaelic)
5 On top of
6 Roman emperor
7 Eccentric wheels
8 Fillip
9 Males
10 I am (contr.)
11 Colored
12 Rabbit
19 Stutter
22 Expungers
24 Blemish
25 Doctrine
27 Steamer (ab.)
28 Replica
31 One who opens
33 Open to public perusal
34 Quickly
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41 Verbal
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Answer to Previous Puzzle





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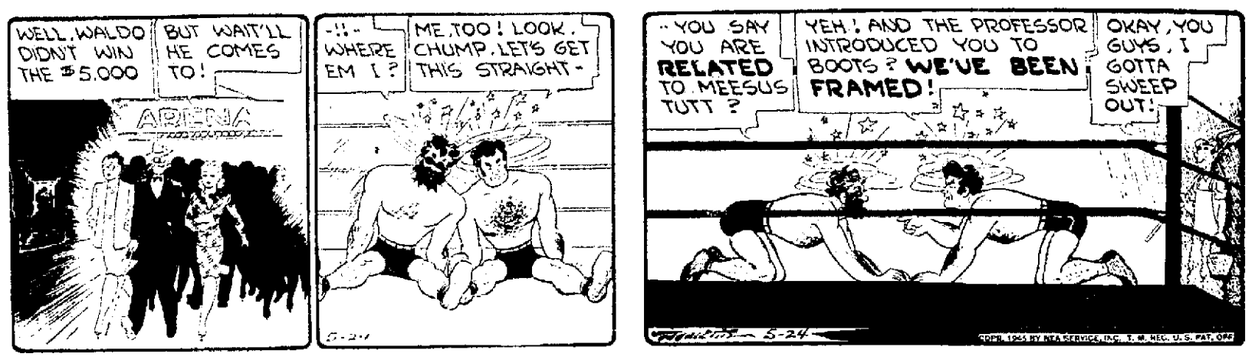
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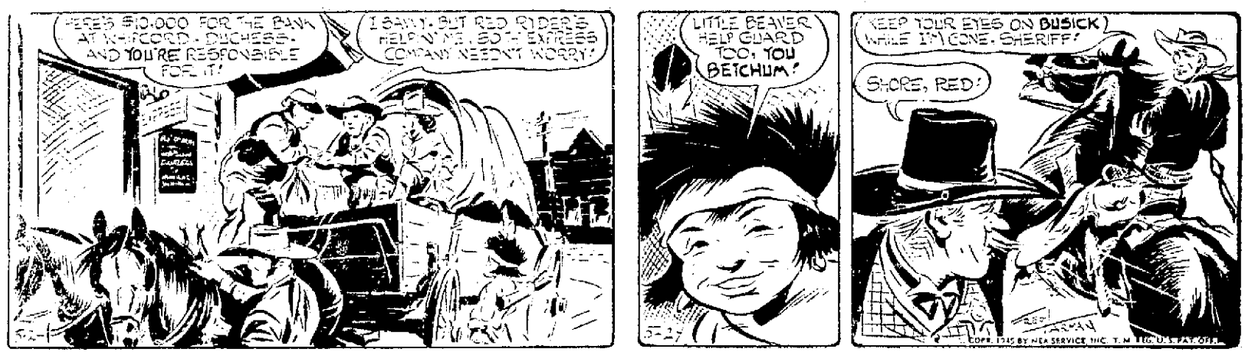
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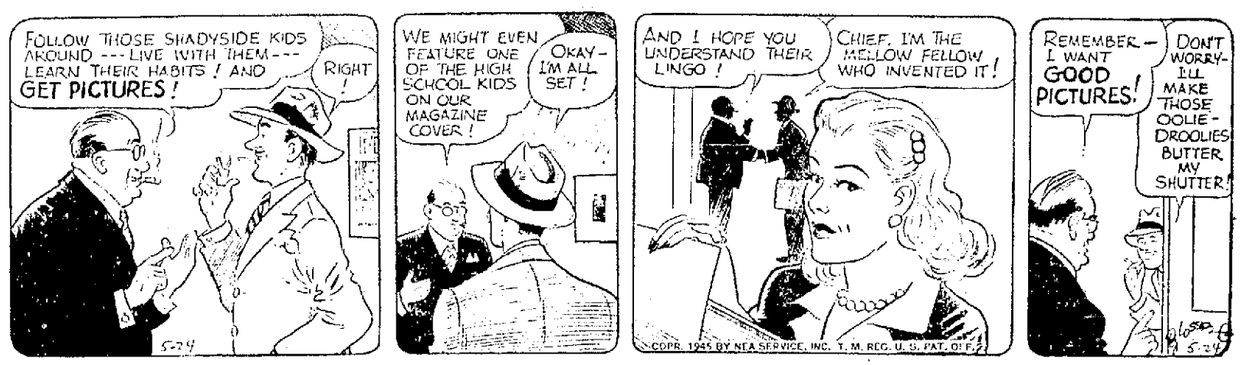
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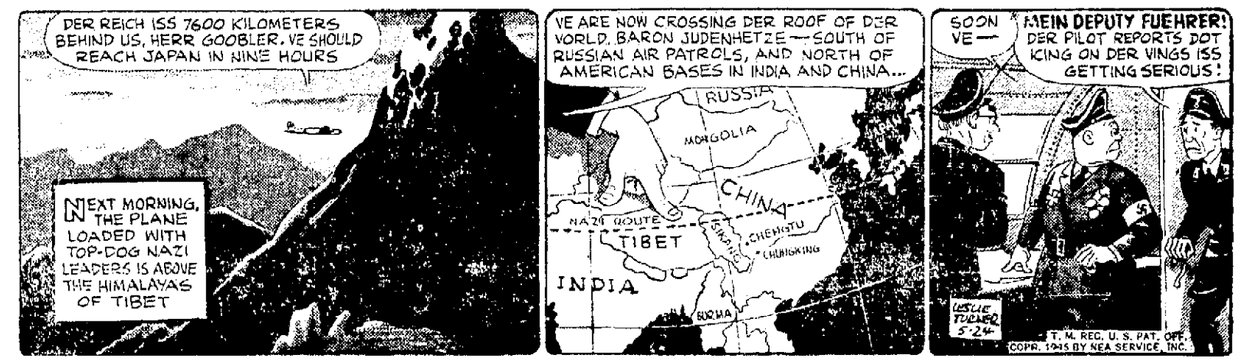
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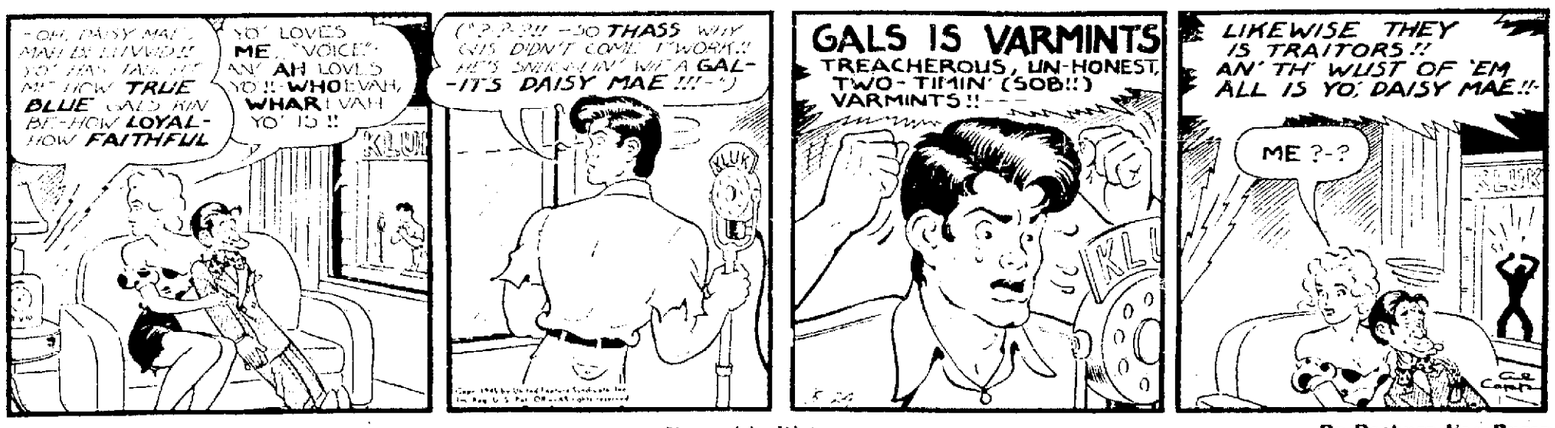
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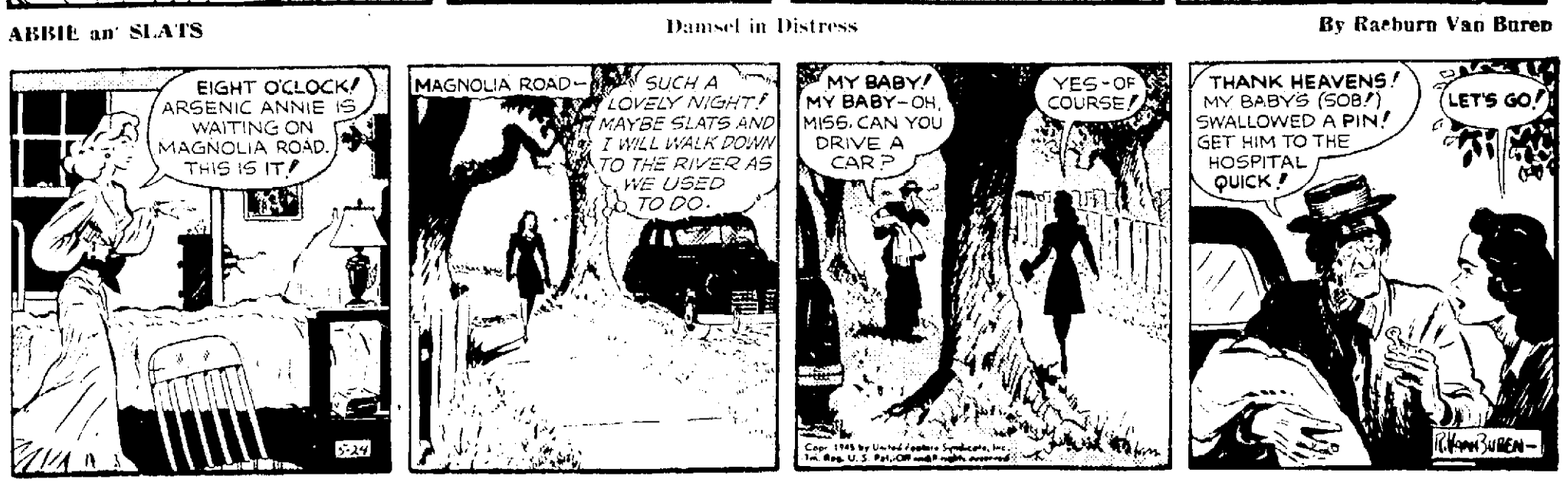
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LEGAL PUBLICATION

PUBLICATION NOTICE IN ATTACHMENT
State of Illinois, Lee County, ss
In the Circuit Court of Lee County, Ill., May 23rd, 1945.
DEMENT SCHULER doing business under the firm name of Home Lumber & Coal Company
vs
CATHERINE NAGLE
Gen No 3089. In Attachment. Demand $88.05

Notice is hereby given to you, the said Catherine Nagle that a Writ of Attachment has been sued out in the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of said County of Lee at the suit of the said Dement Schuler doing business under the firm name of Home Lumber & Coal Company and against the estate of you, the said Catherine Nagle for Eighty-eight and 5/100 ($88.05) Dollars, besides interest, directed to the Sheriff of said County to execute, which said writ has been returned by said Sheriff executed by attaching the following described real estate, to-wit: Lots Fifty-seven and Fifty-eight in Highland Park Addition to the City of Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois

Now unless you, the said Catherine Nagle shall personally be and appear before the Circuit Court of said County on the 2nd day of July, A. D. 1945, to be holden at Dixon in said County, give special bail and plead to said action, judgment will be entered against you in favor of the said plaintiff, and the property attached sold to satisfy the same, with costs.

E. S. ROSECRANS
Clerk.
Dixon Illinois, May 23rd 1945.
Warner & Warner, Dixon, Ill
Plaintiff's Attorney
May 24, 31, June 7, 1945

TAX NOTICE
NOTICE is hereby given that at a tax sale held at Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois, on the 18th day of October, A. D. 1943 for taxes of the year A. D. 1942 Alice Quaco purchased the following described real estate, to-wit

Lot Eight (8), in Block Eleven (11), in West End Addition to the City of Dixon, in Lee County, Illinois.

taxed in the name of John L Brink, and that time of redemption from said sale will expire on October 18 A. D. 1945
ALICE QUACO.
May 24, 31, June 7, 1945.



Steward

Bradford-Reynolds 4-H

The Bradford-Reynolds 4-H club met at the home of Virginia Warner. The following officers were elected: president, Ruth Brunsberg; vice president, Virginia Warner; secretary-treasurer, Rose Mary Kersten; reporters, Nancy Ewald and Ellen Voss; recreation chairman, Mary Ellen Gerbes; war effort chairman, Betty Burhenn.

Twelve members answered roll call. Seven of the girls are taking quick breads as their projects while five of the girls are taking sewing. Ellen Voss gave a report on how to give the pledge to the American and 4-H flags. Rose Mary Kersten read a poem. Virginia Warner played and sang "Meet Me In St. Louis." The meeting closed with the girls giving the 4-H pledge.

Barbara Ewald had charge of recreation. Refreshments were served by the hostess and her mother. — Reporter, Nancy Ewald.

Enjoyed Trip to Aurora

The pupils of the Stone Ridge school and their teacher, Mrs. Irene Heirmann went to Aurora on Friday, May 18th. They visited the city hall where they were shown around by Mr. Stolp, the jailer. The city fire department was the next stop. Two of the firemen explained how the fire truck works and also how the fire alarm worked. They also toured the building. They enjoyed dinner at the Fairbanks Cafe and at noon they visited the WMRO broadcasting station. Instead of the man on the street program, Mr. O'Brien interviewed each of the children on the radio. From there they went to visit the Rainbow bakery where they were shown how to make and bake bread. They visited the Historical museum. They all returned a happy but tired group and were very appreciative for the lovely day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Rednour of Mashlen, Tenn., are visiting with relatives in and around Steward.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hess were callers Sunday afternoon at the Adu Schoenholz home near Paw Paw.

Mrs. Glenn Macklin and children spent a few days with her mother, Mrs Willa Minor.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bodner visited Sunday with their son Charles who is hospitalized at a Rockford hospital. They also called at the Glenn Macklin home while in Rockford.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Schell entertained with a family dinner Sunday honoring their son Douglas Prach and Mrs. Carl Greiffe birthdays.

Mrs. A. G. Gunderson, Mrs. Dorothy Stunkel, Mrs. R. L. Townsend and Judy were Rockford shoppers on Tuesday.

Mrs. Harriet Palmer of Indianapolis, Ind., returned to her home Saturday evening after attending the funeral of her brother, Alonzo Coon.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Cook and Mary Beth and Mrs. Mary Carney were Sunday guests at a family dinner at the Charles Swegle home near Dixon. The dinner was in honor of the Swegles' son recently returned from overseas.

Mrs. John Shipps, Ned Phipps and Donald Byrd spent Sunday in Lanark at the Joe Winters home.

Mrs. Clifford Pierson is convalescing in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Fell. Mrs. Pierson recently underwent an operation at Mayo Brothers hospital.

Jimmy Crafty of Mt. Morris was a week end guest in the Harold Cook home.

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Evening
6:00 Jim Blade—WMAQ
Preston Bradley—WGN
6:15 News of the World—WMAQ
Music that Satisfies—WBBM.
6:30 Mr. Keen—WBBM
Supper Interlude—WMAQ.
Military Intelligence—WLS.
6:45 Say It With Music—WGN.
H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ.
7:00 Suspense—WBBM
Frank Morgan Show—WMAQ.
7:15 Lum and Abner—WLS
7:30 Aldrich Christie & Follet—WGN.
Death Valley Sheriff—WBBM.
Dinah Shore—WMAQ
Town Meetings of the Air—WLS.
8:00 Bing Crosby Show—WMAQ
Morton Gould Orch—WBBM.
Gabriel Heatter—WGN
8:30 Treasure Hour of Song—WGN.
Corliss Archer—WBBM.
Spotlight Band—WENR.
Joan Davis—WMAQ
9:00 Abbott and Costello—WMAQ.
Fred Waring—WENR.
First Line—WBBM
9:30 Romance, Rhythm Ripley—WBBM.
Match of Time—WENR
Ruby Valley Show—WMAQ
10:00 Sergt. Yark Remember—WGN.
Supper Club—WMAQ
Jack Kirkwood—WBBM.
10:15 King's Jesters—WBBM.
Heine Miller—WENR.
10:30 Symphonette—WMAQ
Music Lovers—WCFL.
10:45 Fulton Lewis—WGN.
Busy Line—WBBM.
11:00 News—WGN WBBM, and WGN.
11:15 A Little Night Music—WGN
Dance Orchestras—WGN
Sunny Side of Street—WENR
11:30 Dance Orchestras—WGN WBBM.
Design for Listening—WENR.
WENR
12:00 Nightcap—WMAQ
Midnight Extra—WENR.

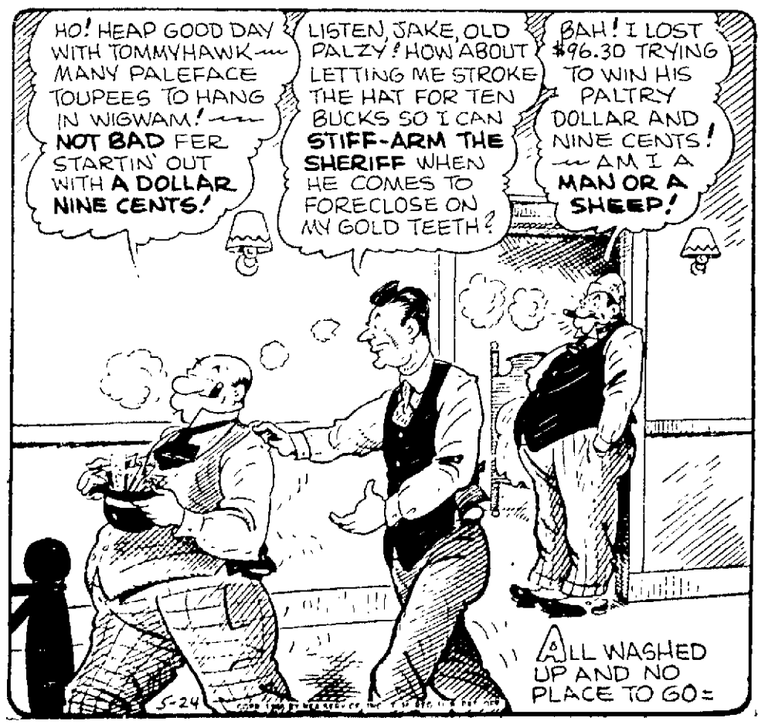
FRIDAY
Afternoon
12:00 Life Can Be Beautiful—WBBM.
Inner Bell—WLS
12:15 Reveille Roundup—WMAQ.
Ma Perkins WBBM
12:30 Bernadine Flynn—WBBM.
Elizabeth Hart—WMAQ
12:45 Young Dr Malone—WBBM.
John L. Anthony—WGN.
1:00 Two On a Clue—WBBM.
Guiding Light—WMAQ.
1:15 Jane Cowl WGN
Today's Children—WMAQ.
Rosemary—WBBM
1:30 Glasburg's Orch—WMAQ.
Never Too Old—WGN.
Perry Mason—WBBM
1:45 Jean and Tim—WBBM.
Betty Crocker—WBBM.
2:00 Your Home and Mine—WLS.
Women of America—WMAQ.
Mary Martin WBBM
Center Canters WGN.
2:15 Ma Perkins—WMAQ
2:30 Pepper Young's Family—WMAQ.
School of the Air—WBBM
2:45 Right to Happiness—WMAQ.
3:00 Backstage Wife—WMAQ
Views of the News—WNER.
House Party—WBBM
3:15 Stella Dallas—WMAQ
3:30 Lorenzo Jones—WMAQ.
Beulah Karney—WENR
3:45 Young Widder Brown—WMAQ.
4:00 Glamor Manor—WENR
When a Girl Marries—WMAQ.
Paul Gibson—WBBM.
Musical Moods—WGN.
4:15 Portia Faces Life—WMAQ.
4:30 Malcolm Claire—WENR
Just Plain Bill—WMAQ.
Music Mart—WGN
4:45 Front Page Farrell—WMAQ.
Hop Harrigan—WENR
5:00 Moulton Kelsey—WMAQ
Terry and Pirates—WENR.
5:15 Dick Tracy—WENR.
Varieties—WMAQ
Superman—WGN.
5:30 Jack Armstrong—WENR.
Tennessee Jed—WGN
5:45 Capt. Midnight—WENR.
Tom Mix WGN
The World Today—WBBM.

Evening
6:00 Jim Blade—WMAQ
Robert Hurleigh—WBBM.
Preston Bradley—WGN
6:15 Late News of the World—WMAQ.
6:30 Lone Ranger—WLS
Friday on Broadway—WBBM.
Supper Music—WMAQ
6:45 H. V. Kaltenborn—WMAQ.
7:00 Highways in Melody—WMAQ.
Aldrich Family—WBBM
7:30 Freedom of Opportunity—WGN.
This is Your FBI—WLS.
Duffy's Tavern—WMAQ.
The Thin Man—WBBM
8:00 Pass to Be Ignored—WBBM.
Frank Munn—WMAQ.
Gabriel Heatter—WGN
Famous Jury Trials—WENR.
8:30 People Are Funny—WMAQ.
These Websters—WBBM
Double or Nothing—WGN.
Spotlight Band—WENR
9:00 Garry Moore Jim Durante—WBBM.
Sammy Kaye Varieties—WENR.
Abbott & Costello—WMAQ
9:30 Danny Kaye Show—WBBM
Doctors Talk It Over—WENR.
Bill Stern WMAQ
10:00 Supper Club—WMAQ
Songs You Remember—WGN.
Jack Kirkwood—WBBM
10:15 So the Story Goes WBBM.
Merbie Mintz—WENR
10:30 Eugene Boyd—WBBM.
Music Lovers—WCFL.
Just for Fun—WMAQ
10:45 Fulton Lewis—WGN
Busy Line—WBBM
Moods in Melody WMAQ.
11:00 The Last Word WENR
News—WGN WBBM WMAQ
11:30 Dance Orchestras—WGN WENR, WBBM
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Supt. of Highways Leake's Statement Details Bond Issue

Question Goes Before Lee County Voters Monday, June 4

County Superintendent of Highways Fred W. Leake of Amboy, today released a statement relating to the proposed bond issue to be decided by the voters of Lee county at the regular judicial election on June 4th, explaining the facts relative to the system of roads in Lee county, the manner in which the funds are to be secured, and if the bond issue is carried, the apportionment of the sum on the several sections of highway. His statement follows:

The federal aid highway act of 1944 was passed by both Houses of Congress on December 12, 1944 and signed by the President on December 20, 1944. The allotment to the State of Illinois is approximately $23,120,000.00 per year, a total of $69,360,00.00 over the three year period. The secondary or State Aid system (which we call County Roads) under the method of apportionment will receive $4,762,000.00 in yearly allotments.

The Act provides for a fifty-fifty basis. This means that each dollar allocated by the federal government for construction costs must be met by one dollar from the government agencies interested in the project.

For those of you who are not familiar with the federal act "The first post war fiscal year shall be that fiscal year which ends on June 30th following the date proclaimed by the President as the termination of the existing war emergency and the authorization for the first post war fiscal year shall be apportioned among the states within 30 days after the passage of this act.

As conditions stand today we do not know exactly when the post war program will begin, neither do we know exactly what Lee county's allotment will be but it is reasonable to expect that we may receive $150,000 over the three year period as federal aid (if we have the necessary funds to match it) in the construction of the roads.

Program for 76 Miles

Lee county's program constitutes the construction of seventy-six (76) miles of bituminous surfaced roads, fifty-six (56) of which will be constructed out of bond issue funds, the balance of which construction resolutions have been passed and appropriations made out of motor fuel tax funds for their construction.

The roads to be constructed out of bond issue monies are:

(1) The completion of the Rock Island road from Nelson to Dixon.

(2) The road leading north of Franklin Grove toward Oregon to the Lee county line.

(3 The road leading south and east and south of Ashton to connect with a bond issue road connecting the villages of Franklin Grove and U. S. 51 at Ackland's Corner.

(4) The road connecting U. S. 30 with Scarboro.

(5) The road leading north and east of Heagy's Corner to the Dixon township line.

(6) The Dad Joe Trail commencing three (3) miles south of Dixon and continuing north to connect with the blacktop one mile south of the city limits of Dixon.

(7) Commencing at Shippert's Corner on U. S. Rt. 52 and continuing north, west and north to connect with the south end of the blacktop south of the village of Nachusa.

(8) The aforementioned road connecting the village of Franklin Grove with Ackland's Corner.

(9) The road east of Steward commencing at the Norwegian church and connecting the village of Steward.

(10) The road commencing at the Reynolds church corner and continuing south to U. S. Rt. 30.

(11) The road commencing in the village of West Brooklyn and continuing south and east to connect with U. S. Rt. 51.

(12) The road commencing at Pine Hill corner on U. S. Rt. 30 and continuing south and east to the Inlet bridge.

(13 and 14) The road commencing two and one-half (2½) miles north of Harmon with a connection with U. S. Rt. 30 and continuing south through the village of Harmon to the corner one and one-half (1½) miles south.

(15) The road commencing at Latta's corner on state bond issue Rt. 89 and continuing east through East Grove, Maytown and into Sublette to connect with the end of the pavement west of the village of Sublette.

(16) A bridge over Green river on the road south of Harmon in Hamilton township.

The roads to be constructed with federal aid monies are:

(1) The road commencing one (1) mile west of the present blacktop west of McCaffery's Corner connecting Rt. 89 and a connection with the village of Walton with this road.

(2) The road commencing on the Lee-Bureau county line north of the village of Walnut and continuing north two (2) miles.

(3) The road commencing at the Prairieville Corner and continuing north to the county line.

(4) The 15d road commencing at the pavement in the village of Paw Paw and continuing west to a connection with U. S. Rt. 51.

(5) The program also includes the road connecting the village of Lee with the Norwegian church on the Lee-DeKalb county line, which will be built jointly with motor fuel tax funds by both counties.

All of the state aid roads in the county have been graveled and in the past ten (10) years approximately twenty-five (25) miles have been treated with a bituminous surface. The County Highway Department now maintains this system which comprises 220 miles of road, a portion of which extends into every township in the county.

The question in the minds of the taxpayers, should this proposition carry, is, "How much is it going to cost me?" In answer to this question, I have procured these figures from the county treasurer's office. The average assessed valuation of residence property in the City of Dixon (the highest priced property in Lee County) is approximately $2200.00. An additional annual tax of 28c per hundred would add $6.16 per year to the taxes you are now paying. The assessed valuation of farm property in Bradford township is $48.00 per acre, while farm property in May township is assessed at $22.00 per acre. The man owning 160 acres of land in Bradford township would pay $21.50 while the owner of 160 acres in May township would pay $9.58 more per year than he is now paying.

I believe when the federal aid law was passed that the congress felt that the individual states would match federal funds, and construct these secondary or feeder roads but the war traffic has deteriorated the primary system of roads in the state to such an extent that all of the money will be needed in reconstruction of this system of roads and there is little likelihood of any state money forthcoming for county purposes.

As County Superintendent of Highways, about two years ago I informed the various Road and Bridge committees that in all probability federal aid would be forthcoming and having lived through the W. P. A. era, advised that we should at least be in the planning stage to put Lee county in a position to take advantage of the same when it arrived, and I didn't get any encouragement. After the federal aid bill was passed in December, 1944, I appeared before the County Board and told them I felt I had carried the responsibility long enough, and shifted the same to the board. At the January meeting they realized that they had a hot potato in their hands for they did not want their constituents to criticize them in the event that the federal government wanted to assist us to the tune of $150,000 to $200,000 in highway construction when we were in no position to receive it. They instructed me to make the necessary surveys and estimates and with the assistance of the State's Attorney County Clerk and a firm of Chicago attorneys (who are familiar with bond issue proceedings) the issue will be presented to the people of Lee county at the Judicial Election held on the 4th of June, 1945.

I think that a substantial amount of this bond issue may be retired with motor fuel tax funds (depending entirely upon unforeseen difficulties which may arise) maintenance of motor fuel tax sections and anticipated motor fuel tax funds and here are figures to substantiate the same.

Twenty miles of road to be built with motor fuel tax funds including federal aid	$400,000.00
Anticipated federal aid	$150,000.00
Lee-DeKalb Joint Construction	38,000.00
	$185,000.00
	$400,000.00
	186,000.00
Required motor fuel tax funds to complete program	$214,000.00

Maintenance of 76 miles of new construction and 17 miles which have been constructed, a total of 93 miles at $300.00 per mile per year over a thirteen year period when last bond will be paid.....$362,700.00

Total motor fuel tax funds required to be used in the construction and maintenance of 20 miles of road not in bond issue and the provision for the maintenance of the bond issue roads, as well as the roads built at this time over a 13 year period.......$576,700.00

Money on hand and anticipated motor fuel tax funds to be received by Lee county in the next thirteen (13) years:

Unexpended balance of motor fuel tax funds including April 1945 allotment	$ 67,545.33
Anticipated motor fuel tax money 1945-1946	50,000.00
—1946-1947	60,000.00
—1947-1948	65,000.00
—1948-1949	65,000.00
—1949-1950	65,000.00
—1950-1951	65,000.00
—1951-1952	60,000.00
—1952-1953	60,000.00
—1953-1954	60,000.00
—1954-1955	60,000.00
—1955-1956	60,000.00
—1956-1957	60,000.00
—1957-1858	60,000.00
Total anticipated motor fuel tax funds including on hand	$857,545.32
	576,700.00
Amount that may be applied on bond issue out of motor fuel tax funds	$280,845.32

(These are conservative figures.)

If you vote and do not cast a ballot on the issue, in reality you are voting against the same, for to carry the election, will mean that a majority of all votes cast shall be for the proposition.

Whether or not the people of Lee county feel that the necessity requires some form of "Stop Gap" employment for the immediate post war period, the readjustment period most likely to follow, and whether the public welfare would benefit by the same, will be decided by the people themselves and I am confident that both the supervisors and myself will be interested to know whether or not Lee county demands more improved roads.

This program if voted favorably would place additional responsibilities on me as County Superintendent of Highways which I am willing to accept as a contribution to the welfare of the returning veterans and labor after this war.

Sublette

Mrs. C. Stephenitch, Mr. and Mrs. Gussie Messer of Dixon were callers at the A. P. Lauer home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Robert Leake and Mrs. Fred Leake of Amboy spent Sunday afternoon with Miss Julia Hillman.

A number of Sublette boys played baseball with West Brooklyn Sunday. They played Wilmington, and the game resulted in a score of 21 to 0 in favor of West Brooklyn.

Pvt. Jimmie Schultz has arrived home from overseas and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Schultz and family.

Miss Norma Knowlton of Harmon was an over night guest of Mary LaVon Lovers Wednesday night.

Mrs. Irene Crowe and daughter Margaret of Oelwein, Ia., will arrive Friday morning to visit her sister, Mrs. Amor Lauer and to attend the graduation exercises at the Amboy high school; also the graduation exercises of St. Mary's parochial school in Sublette.

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Bulfer of Amboy were Sunday dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bulfer; also her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Montavon of West Brooklyn.

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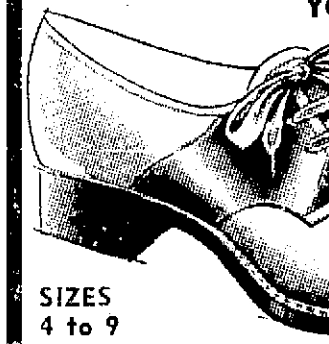
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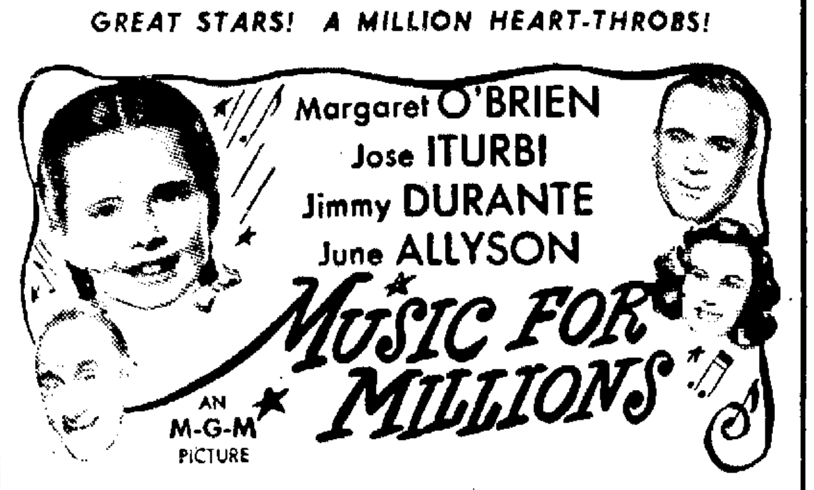




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